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U. S. FORCES READY FOR ACTION

ARMY AND NAVY ACTIVITY AT SAN DIEGO

It is Believed Japan Will Figure Prominently in Developments

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., March 13.—Although no official here would accept the responsibility of being quoted, there is a growing sentiment to-day that the next few hours will produce developments that will cause Japan to loom up as an important factor in the army and navy mobilization in the Mexican trouble zone.

What trend events are likely to take is unknown, but the attitude of the attaches of the state and war departments indicates concern. It is rumored that Pacific coast reports tend to connect other forces than the Mexican government with the military demonstration.

Oriental Complications.

London, March 13.—London newspapers to-day are prominently displaying a special cablegram from the Cologne Gazette suggesting Oriental complications as a reason for the mobilization of American troops.

"Americans generally are suspicious of the Japanese," says the cable. "Whether the mobilization of the American army is due to fear of Japan or to the actual events in Mexico cannot be stated owing to the United States government's secrecy."

Ready to Move.

San Diego, Cal., March 13.—Despite the usual dearth of official information every indication in both the army and naval branches of the mobilized forces here to-day is that action is expected within a few hours at most. What that action will be is still problematical, but the advance of part of the army forces to the American Tia Juana, the dispatch of the destroyer fleet down the Mexican coast and the announced landing of the Buffalo's 500 marines with 14 days' provisions at Magdalena are only some of the indications of developments soon to come.

As a part of the prediction that General Bliss' headquarters will soon be at Tia Juana, if not across the Mexican line, is cited the fact that military officers for days have been calling for information as to routes and water supplies in Diaz' land. All of yesterday was put in by Captain James Longstreet, of the Eighth Infantry, chief ordnance officer, and chief engineer and other officers, along the Mexican line. These activities of the army men have convinced observers that they have reason to expect a move southward very soon.

The probability of a dash down the coast by the destroyers was taken from the fact that Commander Richardson, in command of the mosquito fleet, and Admiral Thomas, passed almost all of yesterday in conference and last evening again a council of commanders of the torpedo boats, destroyers and submarines was held.

"There has been no change in the situation yet," said Admiral Thomas to-day. "As all can see, steam is up on all the ships and we are ready to start anywhere on a moment's notice."

That the Buffalo will soon follow the Yorktown down the Mexican coast and that she will land her 500 marines with 14 days' rations at Magdalena Bay, is confidently predicted. Since the Buffalo's arrival not one of her officers or men has been ashore.

Expectations of an early departure by the Buffalo are based on alleged reports from the gunboat Yorktown, which is said to have sent wireless messages off Ensenada. The Yorktown sailed late Saturday night. These reports, it is said, have urged on Admiral Thomas to put a larger force in Mexican waters. He refuses to talk on the question. No information has yet been given out as to the Yorktown's ultimate destination.

Fresh confirmation that a campaign of some length is anticipated by the United States army now stationed here is seen to-day in the information that the steamer Roanoke of the North Pacific

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TWENTY-SIX MINERS PROBABLY KILLED

Workings in Minnesota Mine Collapse—Bodies of Ten Victims Recovered

(Times Leased Wire.)

Virginia, Minn., March 13.—Ten bodies, crushed into unrecognizable shape were recovered to-day in the Norman mine. It was stated that 16 bodies still remain in the collapsed workings. A large force of men is digging to reach them, but in spite of continuous work it probably will be two days before they will be recovered.

The accident is attributed to recent thaw which softened the earth on which the mine timbering rested.

SHOULD ALTER SEA WALL PLANS

CONVICTION GROWS THAT MISTAKE WAS MADE

Special Meeting of City Council May Be Called to Deal With Matter

Large numbers of people yesterday visited Dallas road and inspected the work which has already been done on the sea wall, being erected on the section running from Montreal street to Menzies street. So much publicity having been given to the fact that some doubt has arisen as to whether the plans under which the wall is being constructed have been properly drawn, nearly everybody who inspected the work yesterday had an opinion to offer as to just what ought to be done to meet the situation. There was a remarkable unanimity of opinion, however, that if the present plans are followed and the wall finished with a straight "face" it would not long stand against the breakers which roll in from the straits with great force during stormy weather.

Many former residents of England agree with Ald. Humber, that the work should be stopped pending a revision of the plans, and that the amended scheme should call for the construction of a concrete wall some eight or ten feet further toward the sea than the line of the present work; that this wall should have an "apron"—that is, a concave face which turns back the waves by its curvature. There are said to be many of these walls in England, where the problems of foreshore erosion have had to be grappled with for many years, and that they are giving the best satisfaction. It is argued also that if the plans are amended in the way suggested a large amount of valuable land would be reclaimed, as Dallas road would be widened a distance of eight feet between the two points mentioned.

So serious is the situation affecting the construction of the wall, in the opinion of the mayor and some of the aldermen, that it is not improbable a special meeting of the council may be summoned this week to deal with the matter. At the last meeting of the board the mayor was favorable to stopping the work at once, but in view of the fact that Edward Mohun, C. E., of the public works department, is preparing a special report, it was decided to defer further consideration for a week.

It may be added, in passing, that no adverse criticism is directed by anybody against the manner in which the Pacific Coast Construction Company, the contractors for the wall, is carrying out the work. The company has followed the plans as laid down and has made such progress with the work that it could complete it in three months' time.

In view of the great public interest which is being taken in the matter of the construction of the sea wall, the full text of the city engineer's report on the same, presented at the last meeting of the council, is published for general information as follows:

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SOLDIERS SET FIRE TO TWO HOUSES

Serious Clashes Between the Troops, Mexicans and Negroes at Galveston

(Times Leased Wire.)

Galveston, Texas, March 13.—Galveston is under a form of martial law to-day as a result of soldier riots in the Mexican and negro sections of the city. In order to prevent the renewal of attacks on Mexican residents, 1200 negroes are restricted to the camp and provost guards patrol the Mexican and negro quarters.

Col. Bailey to-day cut down leaves of absence to 15 days. Twenty-five soldiers are in the guard house following Sunday's battle between soldiers and Mexicans and negroes in which two houses were burned. The riot started when the soldiers, on leave, entered the houses of Mexicans and negroes. The rioters were demolished, the occupants driven out and several buildings set on fire.

In a street fight that followed Private Winfield Joel was stabbed in the side. He was the first patient to be taken to the military hospital.

Police officer Reagan and other patrolmen attempted to subdue the soldiers and several of them were knocked down by police officer's clubs. The fire department was called out, but the riot was not quelled until Col. Bailey and fifty picked men had appeared. A military guard was thrown about the disturbed sections.

NEW JUDGE.

(Special to the Times.)

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A BIG STICK FOR MEXICANS.

DEATHS MARK RAILWAY STRIKE

ELEVEN KILLED; NEARLY SCORE WOUNDED

Negro Firemen Shot in Their Cabs While They Were Passing Through Mountains

(Times Leased Wire.)

Somerset, Ky., March 13.—To-day's toll of death is eleven and of injured nearly a score in the strike on the Queen and Crescent railroad. Traffic on the line, both here and at Chattanooga, is at a standstill as a result of clashes between striking firemen and strikers.

The strike resulted in the refusal of the railroad to give assurances to the white firemen that they would have preference over negroes in the line of promotion.

The dead include nine negro firemen and two white deputy sheriffs. Five of the negroes were killed yesterday, having been picked off in their cabs by sharpshooters while the engines were passing through the mountain districts.

Four negroes and the two deputies were slain in battle last night near Glenary, Tenn.

Railroad officials were served with an ultimatum by the mountaineers that unless the negroes were discharged they would be killed and the company's bridges blown up.

Trains Held Up.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 13.—Armed mountaineers have held up three Queen and Crescent freight trains near King Mountain, Ky., 120 miles from here, according to a telegram received to-day by Vice-president Powell. Railroad officials asked the authorities at King's Mountain to send deputies to the scene.

Strike May Spread.

Cincinnati, March 13.—Complete tie-up of the Queen and Crescent railroad and possibly all the southern lines is threatened to-day. It was announced here that the order of Locomotive Engineers had notified the firemen that unless the strike is settled in a few days the engineers would serve the railway with a ten days' strike notice.

As far as could be learned here, however, the depredations of the lawless elements continue.

No Quarter For Federal.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Mexico City, March 13.—That the determination of President Diaz to suppress the revolution will result in even more drastic steps than the suspension of personal guarantees under the constitution was the general belief here to-day. It was expected that the order refusing civil trials to persons charged with the destruction of property and ordering disturbers shot would have quieted disorders.

That the engineers will extend to all southern railroads which employ negro firemen.

"We will not appeal to Gov. Wilson now," said Vice-president Powell. "But we have notified the sheriffs at the scenes of trouble and expect them to maintain order. I have reason to believe that the engineers are loyal and have no fear that they will go on strike."

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RUSH TO CANADA ALREADY IN PROGRESS

TEN THOUSAND IMMIGRANTS WILL ARRIVE FROM GREAT BRITAIN THIS WEEK

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, March 13.—Several hundred immigrants of a good class, the advance guard of over 10,000, arriving this week from Great Britain by various steamers, reached Montreal to-day. The majority of these are bound for western Canada.

Extra Steamer on Route.

London, March 14.—The Allan line steamship company is running an extra boat this week to cope with the phenomenal rush to Canada.

DETERMINED TO CRUSH REVOLUTION

DAZ MAY ADOPT MORE DRASIC MEASURES

Rebel Leader Orders His Men
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That the Federal killed all wounded insurgents left on the field after the battle at Casas Grandes was the statement of an American railroad man, who was struck by a street car Saturday night, died in the hospital yesterday from his injuries.

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LISTS SMALLER AT NEW ELECTION

REGISTRATIONS ARE SHORT OF LAST YEAR

Some Possibility of Contest
Being Brought on Early
in April

(Special to the Times.)

As the time for the registration under the householder and license qualification of voters who wish to exercise the franchise at the approaching municipal elections nears its close there is an increase in the number of applicants for registration privileges at Mr. Northcott's office, and to-day has probably been busiest with the returning officer since the new lists were ordered prepared. But by no possibility will the list be as large as last year. Only a very small proportion of the assessed owners who at the last election were on the lists have thus far taken advantage of the opportunity to register as householders. Today and Tuesday the city assessor's office will be open until 8 p. m., but on Wednesday the registrations will be made only up to 5 o'clock.

One peculiar feature about some of the registrations and one about which more will likely be heard is that the mayor and the city solicitor have interpreted a recent ruling of the executive council to mean that women may vote as householders. Inasmuch however, as all registering as householders must make a declaration that they have paid the road tax, and as the road tax cannot be paid by females, it is argued that when the commissioner, Harold B. Robertson, comes to revise the lists he will strike out such registrations.

The commissioner is very hopeful that all the work in connection with the preparation of the new lists will permit of the new election being brought on about the first of the coming month. The Voters' League is very active, having already entered upon a campaign in support of Mayor Morley. A new weekly is to be issued under the auspices of the league. An advance copy appeared on Saturday.

It is called The News and is popularly supposed to be merely The Citizen with another name; which sheet did duty on behalf of the mayor at the last election. A lady canvasser is collecting subscriptions for the new weekly, which she announces has come to stay.

R. L. Drury continues to be pressed by many friends to allow his name to be placed in nomination for the office of mayor. Mr. Drury was seen by the Times this morning, but stated that he had not as yet made up his mind about the matter.

RECEIVES MEDAL.

(Special to the Times.)

Calgary, March 13.—The question of the reciprocity agreement between Canada and the United States was taken up by the directors of the Alberta Live Stock Association. Expressing their opinion in writing up to the present time thirty-one members are of the opinion that the proposed agreement is in the best interest of Canada and six do not favor the agreement. Acting on this vote, a resolution has been forwarded to the minister of finance favoring the proposed pact.

Tariff Reformer's Views.

Bristol, March 13.—At a meeting of the Western Counties Tariff Reform Federation here on Saturday, the following resolution was adopted:

"While we strongly deprecate any suggestion of interference with the internal administration of Canada, we view with alarm the recent reciprocal proposal for reciprocity tariff arrangement between the Dominion and the United States.

"We express the conviction that the same will seriously affect the trade of Bristol, and in view of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's statement we appeal to the premier of Canada to adopt such measures as will meet our desire."

Questions in Commons.

London, March 13.—In the House of Commons to-day T. McKinlay-Wood, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, answering Sir Gilbert Parker, Gravesend, said: "I don't think it would have been practicable and I am certain it would not have been desirable for Ambassador Bryce to have made special representations to the United States about negotiations into which Canadian ministers were, under the constitution, competent to enter."



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CHINESE ACTRESS IN SUPREME COURT

Her Friends Appeal to Have
Her Released From De-
tention Shed

In supreme court chambers this morning Wong Bick Yung, a Chinese actress, was presented by the Dominion immigration authorities upon an habeas corpus order made Saturday morning by Mr. Justice Gregory. Fred Peters, K.C., and B. Lowe appeared for Wong Bick Yung, who also answers, presumably in theatrical circles down in Chinatown, to the name of Gong Shee. They finally agreed with W. H. Langley, appearing for the department, that the woman should be allowed out on bail until March 23 in the sum of \$500. The bail was found at once.

It is claimed that the woman has been going back and forth from Victoria to Vancouver on business which the authorities thought unlawful. She was therefore taken care of and placed in the immigration building at the outer wharf. Her friends here and in Vancouver missed the woman who, her lawyers claim, is partner in a Chinese business concern here, and accidentally located her in the custody of the Dominion authorities. Her friends then obtained legal assistance and the court order to bring her into court.

When Mr. Justice Morrison was hearing the matter this morning and the request for the adjournment till a week from Thursday, Mr. Peters drew his lordship's attention to the fact that the woman had been told she was not to communicate with her friends and lawyers. The bailiff in whose charge she was had said these were his instructions.

Dr. Milne, immigration inspector, rose before his solicitor in the court and addressing the court said: "The statement is untrue, your honor."

Mr. Peters: "Your man told me so himself."

His Lordship: "It might have been done without your knowledge, Dr. Milne."

The order as agreed on was made. The subject of the application appeared in court. She is a slight Chinese woman apparently about 35 years of age, and was dressed in Chinese costume.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Emma Frost MacDonald took place this afternoon from the Hanna chapel, where services were conducted by Rev. Leslie Clay. Numerous friends were present. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The remains of the late J. W. Spring, victim of a shooting accident at Carsairs, Alta., will reach Victoria to-night. The deceased was just starting out on a coyote hunt when his gun was accidentally discharged and the bullet, passing through the brain, caused instant death. Mr. Spring was a native of Victoria, the second son of the late Capt. William Spring, formerly of this city. He was for some time connected with the firm of Messrs. Challoner & Mitchell in the jewellery business. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Stephen, 27 Erie street, at 2 o'clock. Rev. Leslie Clay will officiate.

DR. BEATTIE NESBITT.

(Special to The Times) - The latest guess is that W. Beattie Nesbit, M. D., the much wanted man in connection with the Farmers' Bank wrecking, is in China practicing his profession. That the police department is inclined to take seriously this latest tip as to the whereabouts of the much travelled doctor is shown by the fact that to-day the circulars offering \$200 reward for his capture were sent to the principal cities of the Chinese kingdom, including Peiping, Foochow, Hankow and Canton.

DIES ON WAY EAST.

Fort William, Ont., March 13.—Taken off a Canadian Pacific train here last Thursday suffering from lung trouble, a man giving the name of J. Raymond, died last night. He had been travelling from Vancouver to Montreal. He was well dressed, about 5 ft. 8 in. of age and of medium build. He possessed some money. Nothing is known as to his place of residence or whereabouts of friends or relations. The body is being held at Cameron & Co.'s undertaking room here.

MOVEMENTS AND RUMORS.

Winnipeg, March 13.—Premier Robt. M. has to Texas and Hon. Robert Rogers left for Ottawa suddenly last night, reviving the rumor that the Manitoba Minister of Public Works will run for Liagor, Staples resigning.

LOCAL NEWS

"Comox" First Prize Creamery Butter, All grocers, 45¢.

Mrs. I. M. Nodke, of 1015 Cook street will receive on Wednesday next and every third Wednesday of each month thereafter.

Judge Lampman this morning gave permission for filing a further claim by Dr. O. M. Jones in regard to his property on Fort street, affected by the Fort street widening.

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Alex. Lustig, an automobile driver, fined \$20 this morning for speeding on Rockland avenue, is the first of a long line of 47 automobile drivers who will during the next few days face Magistrate Jay in the police court and try to prove they were not going over the legal speed of ten miles an hour. The prosecutions are brought under the new provincial law under which the minimum fine is \$20 and the onus of proving the rate of speed rests upon the defendant and not upon the police, as long as the prosecution swearing the rate was over ten miles an hour.

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DIED.

SPRING—On the 5th Inst., at Carsairs, Alberta, John William Spring, son of the late Captain Spring, of this city, a native of Victoria.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2 p. m., from the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Stephens, 27 Erie street.

Friends please accept this intimation.

McQUADE—On the 10th Inst., at the residence of 655 Vancouver street, Louis Gregory McQuade, aged 88 years, and a native of Albany, N. Y.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 9:15 from the residence, and 9:30 at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral.

Friends please accept this intimation.

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WILL WAGE WAR OF EXTERMINATION

DIAZ TO TAKE DRASIC ACTION

Death for Men Detected Raiding Villages or Damaging Railways

Mexico City, March 13. — Thoroughly aroused by the spread of brigands and vandals incident to the revolution led by Francisco I. Madero, and determined to protect property, the Diaz government will begin to wage against the lawless element a pitiless war of extermination.

Resurrecting a provision of the Mexican constitution not used in fifteen years, the government will set aside for six months certain personal guarantees. Those detected in the net of highway robbery, raiding a village or farm, train wrecking, or even removing a spike from a railroad track or throwing a stone at a train, will be summarily shot by those making the arrest. The bill providing for this drastic measure was on Saturday sent to the committee of congress. It was signed by Manuel Madero, sub-secretary of the department of the interior, and clearly states that its enactment is the wish of the president.

That the measure did not immediately become law is due solely to official form. The permanent commission is a body endowed with power to act during that period when congress is not in session. The members unanimously approved the measure, but under the law it was necessary that the bill come up for a second reading. It was referred to a sub-committee and this was instructed to report it to the commission at a special session. That it will be favorably acted upon is undoubted.

The decision to ask for the suspension of "personal guarantee" provided for by the constitution was reached by the president in conference with the members of his cabinet. This provision is one calculated to permit the federal government to put into effect at times of extraordinary conditions a form of martial law.

Under the constitution the government may go further and declare martial law, but the provision invoked does not arrogate the power of the civil authorities. It does deny, in the case of certain crimes, the right of formal trial to the accused.

Explanations of the measure sent to the congressional commission there accompanied it a note also signed by M. Madero. In this the sub-secretary reviews the growth of the railway systems of the republic, and calls attention to the part the railways have played in the development of the country.

The measure provided that in cases where the offender is detected and arrested in the commission of his act, the man making the arrest shall ask no other proof that the fact of the offence, and the fact that he has a personal knowledge that the man arrested committed the act to shoot him. In cases where proof of guilt is not so apparent the accused shall be given eight days for trial. This will be verbal, and conducted by the authorities making the arrest. The first seven days shall be devoted to hearing such evidence as may be produced, and on the eighth day sentence shall be pronounced. If the penalty be death, and the authorities are left no other choice in most cases, the execution must not be delayed except for the purpose of seeking executive pardon. This right is granted.

So broad is that clause covering the interference with trains that it includes even the throwing of a stone at a passenger train. Placing obstructions on the track, changing signals, derailing in any manner a train, damaging in any way the rolling stock, even the removal of a piece of timber or a bit of iron, the drawing of spikes from the ties, or the commission of any act calculated to endanger life or property or to impair the efficiency of the service, are features of this portion of the law, and for the commission of which death is the penalty—summary death if detected in the commission and death at the end of eight days if found guilty.

Although the mere announcement that the government intends to deal mercilessly with those detected in acts of outlawry will have a most beneficial effect, Minister of War Gonzalez Cozio believes the full force of the measure will not be applied.

Madero's Guarantee.

Washington, D. C., March 13.—Francisco I. Madero, provisional president of Mexico, has addressed a note to each of the foreign powers, guaranteeing the persons and property of foreigners in Mexico. This information was received here Saturday by the confidential agency of the revolutionists, with instructions to deliver the notes to the diplomatic representatives accredited to the United States at Washington.

Juan Sanchez Sanchona, secretary of the confidential agency, has given out a statement which in part follows:

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Arrangements for the insertion of new advertisements must be made before 10 a. m. day of publication. Classified advertisements before 2 p.m.

The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

PROFITS, NOT PATRIOTISM.

We are assured once again that because President Taft wanted to include beef and flour among the articles to be placed on the free list in the agreement between the United States and Canada, that therefore we might have had all the advantages of reciprocity with none of its disadvantages. Again, might we ask, will it be any disadvantage to the people of British Columbia, more than ninety per cent. of whom are consumers, to have their taxation reduced by from two million five hundred thousand dollars to three million dollars per annum? That is a benefit which could not have accrued had the proposed reduction or abolition of duties not been mutual. And that is a point which should be kept well to the front of the mind of every head of a family in British Columbia, where the cost of living has of late been assuming very burdensome proportions.

The fact that Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Wm. Paterson refused to consent to the inclusion of beef and flour among the articles to be placed on the free list proves that the ministers were very careful not to be parties to any arrangement that might have the effect of producing a violent disruption of settled trade conditions. For their caution, we regret to observe, the Canadian plenipotentiaries have received little credit from the protected interests of Canada. Although manufacturers will scarcely be affected at all, manufacturers are waging a bitter fight against the agreement and are charging that the government has not only been disloyal to Canada but has traitorous designs against the Empire.

Although the original plan for protection was a desire to see infant industries firmly established on their feet and capable of standing up against the competition of the world, at the very first indication of a movement in the direction of free trade the beneficiaries from protection threw off the cloak and intimated that protection must be considered a permanent feature of our national policy. It is, therefore, not the immediate effects of this agreement they fear, but its ultimate

effects. They argue just as plainly as though they said it in so many words that the country will be so prosperous under limited reciprocity that there will arise an irresistible demand for free trade all along the line. Consequently this new move must be nipped in the bud. If the fruit were permitted to become ripe their opportunities of exacting tribute from the people under the guise of patriotism would all go by the board.

The discussion of the reciprocity agreement has laid the bones of the “interests” bare in all their nakedness. But this is not the first instance in history of greed, avarice, and ambition hiding their real designs and purpose behind the mask of patriotism.

THE RAILWAY BELT.

Members of the British Columbia government and platform speakers have from time to time charged that the Dominion government has not developed the lands which it controls in British Columbia. Little is known here in regard to those lands, and for that reason the charges were not at the time answered, although it was felt by everyone who knew anything of the methods of the Dominion government that they could not be true.

The actual facts of the case are now to hand and show that the Dominion has done its duty in regard to the lands. They were well advertised up to June, 1909, and the result was that 454,400 acres were taken up for homestead purposes; 101,000 were sold for mining purposes; 295,190 acres were disposed of by the provincial government; 171,575 acres were set aside for Indian reserves; 1,467,520 acres were set apart for forest reserves and public parks; 1,215,878 acres were leased as timber berths to lumbermen, and grazing leases were granted on 421,922 acres, making a total of 4,167,465 acres being utilized out of approximately 10,976,000 acres in the whole railway belt. The remainder of the land is mountainous, rough, and of little value. It has all been temporarily withdrawn from settlement, with the exception of a portion in the dry belt, pending a readjustment of the regulations in regard to homesteading. This action is taken for the purpose of dealing with the logged-off lands of the timber areas which will be available for settlement as the timber is removed, in every case a residence qualification will be required from persons taking up the lands so as to ensure that they shall pass into the hands of actual settlers and not into the grip of speculators, such as is the case with provincial lands.

In addition to the lands of the railway belt mentioned above, the Canadian government controls a block of 3,500,000 acres in the Peace River country adjoining the province of Alberta. These lands have not yet been touched, as there is as yet no means of communication therewith, and there are other lands available for settlement which are more accessible. Within a few years this large tract will be all surveyed and opened for pre-emption, in the same way that the lands of Alberta and Saskatchewan are disposed of. These areas will be given for nothing to actual settlers, who will have to live on them and develop them in order to secure their title. This will be a great boon to the province of British Columbia, for it will insure that, in one corner of the province at any rate, the actual settler will have a chance.

There is a large block of provincial lands in the Peace River Country, adjoining the Dominion Government lands. As yet little of this has been alienated, but as the tide of immigration moves northward these will be required. It is hoped that when the time does arrive, the Provincial government will not do as it is doing to day in the matter of selling the lands for speculative purposes, but will see that the whole district is reserved for the pre-emptor, and on terms somewhat similar to those adopted by the Dominion government.

NO SMALL BUILDING LOTS.

When Henry Vivian was here some months ago preaching the gospel of the model city with its roomy lots and fragrant gardens, much enthusiasm was shown in certain quarters, but like other spasms of enthusiasm, it has waned and given place to a spirit of “go as you please.” Lots are being laid out and subdivisions placed on the market without any definite scheme and without any restrictions as to size.

If we go on as we are going we shall soon be selling twenty-five or thirty-foot lots for residential purposes, and the houses will be jammed close together. Everyone knows that this is inimical to the health of the community. Some of the suburbs of Vancouver have already found it out and are taking steps to change the condition of affairs.

We suggest the city and the surrounding municipalities pass by-laws or make regulations that for every building erected for residential purposes there shall be not less than fifty

feet frontage. Even that is all too small, but as it has become a custom to have lots that wide, it would be difficult now to change. A thirty-foot lot is large enough for a barn, but not for a house. It allows for no garden around it, no place in which the children can play and develop. It necessitates their spending their time on the street instead of at their homes under the control of their parents.

It seems wrong to allow small plots of ground for building purposes in a country like this, where there is plenty of room and where the street cars make it possible for the city to expand to almost any distance. The people of the old countries are now finding this out, and are trying to move the poorer people to new garden cities where there is plenty of fresh air and room to move if the people of Victoria allow the perpetuation of the abuses which have caused the growth of slums, the breeding place of criminals, they will be morally responsible for the results. We cannot afford to have such conditions in this city, and the sooner steps are taken to prevent it the better it will be for everyone. Now is the time to act, before the evil becomes rooted and more difficult to eradicate.

The Royal Leader speaks of Hon. Clifford Sifton as “A great man gone wrong.”

Many settlers are already coming West and British Columbia is getting her share of them.

The Saskatchewan legislature has declared itself in favor of the reciprocity agreement. A resolution to that effect was carried unanimously.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is right when he says that the reciprocity agreement has met with the enthusiastic approbation of a majority of the Canadian people.

The Montreal Gazette, Conservative, is opposing any increase in the British preference. As a matter of fact, the Gazette is opposed to any preference to Great Britain.

The work of the city is being delayed, because the provincial government refuses to allow it to proceed. The Bowser-McBrides are worthy the respect of every man who delights to be snubbed, sat upon, or subdued.

A Toronto brewery is trying to enforce total abstinence among its employees. Every man has been refused permission to drink beer on the premises. Evidently the brewers like many doctors, have not much faith in their own medicine.

A. S. Goodeve, M. P. for Kootenay, says that the Dominion government forced the naval bill upon the people of Canada against their will. What do Victorians think of this declaration of a British Columbia Conservative leader?

A number of Victorians were out in the neighborhood of Dean Heights yesterday listening to the singing of the sky-larks. The birds were very numerous and were generous with their music. Not many cities have musical suburbs such as is the district between the Jubilee Hospital and Mount Tolmie.

Special settlers' trains will leave Toronto every Tuesday during the next few months carrying settlers and their effects to the West. The first of these trains arrived at Winnipeg a few days ago, bearing several hundred Ontario people who are about to locate all along the line, some coming as far as British Columbia.

The Duke of Argyle who has just completed a book “Yesterday and to day” before this court, will add to it the following words: “The reciprocity treaty only expresses the exchange of that which Canada can purchase without making herself a pensioner of the United States. She is determined to shape her policy so that she shall preserve her independence to which her vast resources and the manliness of her people more than entitle her.”

The annual financial statement of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of Canada shows that the company is very prosperous, the amount of insurance now in force being approximately sixty-five million dollars. Of this nine and a half millions was added during the year just past. The company has been economically managed and its funds are invested in substantial securities. The statement published on another page will make interesting reading to the many Victorians who are interested in this concern.

The London Times is about as conservative as most newspapers, yet it says editorially: “We cannot tell how the sporadically raised cry of anarchy is influencing Canadian opinion, but there is no reason to suppose that the reciprocity agreement would produce any tendency in that direction. On the contrary, bargaining on equal terms with the United States might tend to foster rather than diminish the self-reliant independence of the Canadian people.”

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Muskogee, Okla.—March 15.—Almost the entire business district of Webbers Falls, Okla., about fifteen miles southwest of this city, was destroyed by fire Saturday. The fire started in a drug store, but the cause is unknown. The population of Webbers Falls is about 1,000. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

L. G. M'QUADE PASSED AWAY ON SUNDAY

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The death occurred on Sunday morning at the family residence, 355 Vancouver street, of Louis Gregory McQuade, aged 58 years. The deceased was a pioneer citizen and merchant and highly respected.

He was the son of the late Peter McQuade and was born in Albany, N. Y.

Mr. McQuade was in the ship chandler business on Wharf street. For a long time after his arrival in Victoria was secretary of the volunteer fire department.

Death was not unexpected, as he had been ill for some time. Two sons and one daughter survive.

The funeral was arranged to take place from the house, on Tuesday morning, at 9:15 and fifteen minutes later from the Roman Catholic cathedral. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

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The Ladies' Guild of the Seamen's Institute will meet at the Alexandra Club to-morrow afternoon at 2:30.

—Members of Eastern Star Chapter No. 5 are requested to mail their addresses to the secretary, P. O. Box 1254, Victoria.

—Fire Chief Davis' report for February shows that during last month a total of fourteen alarms were responded to, the fire loss being \$2,037 on buildings and contents; insurance \$9,520. Fifty-nine buildings were inspected and eleven fire escapes were ordered placed and inspected.

—This evening at 8 o'clock the meeting of the Young People's Society of the First Congregational church will be in the nature of a debate: "Resolved, that the pen is mightier than the sword." T. H. Brown and Miss F. Reade taking the affirmative, and W. H. Bosworth and A. G. Saville the negative. All who are interested, both old and young, are invited to attend.

—Conservatives of wards two and four will meet on Wednesday and Thursday evenings respectively for organization purposes. The meetings will be held in the Central Conservative committee rooms, Hibben block, Government street.

—"Europe's greatest need, as it appears to the prophets in Israel; an object lesson for all the nations today" will be the subject for review at the meeting of the Victoria branch of the Imperial British Israel Association to-morrow evening in No. 1 hall, A. O. U. W. building, Yates street.

—The Brotherhood of Owls have elected the following office bearers for the year 1911: Executive, F. L. Smith; past executive, J. F. Meader; vice-executive, Dr. vicar, W. A. Dooley; master of the nest, Wm. Levy; warden, W. C. Sams; and secretary, A. E. Ockerman. Meetings will be held each Thursday night at the Eagle hall at 8 o'clock sharp until the charter closes.

—Louis Duvau is wanted by his brother, Z. Duvau, to communicate with him. Louis Duvau came to Victoria some years ago, his brother says, from his home at Fall River, Mass. The brother has asked the Victoria police to obtain information regarding him if possible, as he is wanted at home in connection with business of importance.

—The following sales were made by J. O. Stinson, of the Fairfield office, during the past week: Lot, corner Chester avenue and Hilda street, to a local builder for \$1,300; lot, McKenzie avenue, for \$1,150; lot, McKenzie avenue, for \$1,200; lot, Chapman street, \$1,000; lot, Cowichan avenue, \$500, and lot, Fourth street, next to Mt. Tolmie car line for \$500. He is also in receipt of several new inquiries from his eastern connections regarding investing in Victoria and the Island.

—Henry George, who is to pay Victoria a visit next week, in the course of a long-looked-forward-to tour of Western Canada, furnished one of the genuine surprises at the last elections in the neighboring republic, winning the Seventeenth New York district against what was regarded as invincible Republicanism. Mr. George has had a varied career, from the time he worked as a printer and helped "stick type" in the preparation of the first edition of his father's "Progress and Poverty." Recently he has been over in England assisting with his platform talks. Mr. Lloyd George and his colleague in the last British election campaign, Henry George II, like Henry George I, is too big a man to confine his political studies to one country. His mind is cosmopolitan, and so are his studies of political history and economics. While in Victoria Mr. George will speak in public on the evening of Tuesday next, his theme being, "Has Single Tax Got Anywhere?"

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HUSKY VILLAGERS GO DOWN TO DEFEAT

Duncan Forwards Outclassed by Little Fellows—Great Defence Work

The Corinthians were lucky in winning their game against Duncan on Saturday afternoon. Until within five minutes of the whistle the score was even, one all, but being a little too vigorous in his effort to clear, one of the villagers fouled inside the penalty line. Kelsall took the kick, and with a beautiful drive beat the Duncan goalkeeper.

During the first half, neither team had any great advantage. The visitors had, perhaps, a little the best of it at the start, owing to the absence of two or three of the local boys, who appeared however, before any damage was done. The Corinthians were the aggressors most of the second half.

When the teams lined up it could be seen that Duncan had by far the heavier set of men, but the superior team work of the Corinthians enabled them to offset this advantage. Also, the little fellows on the Corinthian forward line showed themselves by their continual and tireless following up to be in better form than their opponents in the same division. Where the visitors shone was in the back division, the splendid defence work of Rivaz and Stokes pulling the villagers out of several bad holes.

Goodwin, Collinson and Douglas were the stars of the local eleven, and for Duncan the shining lights were Rivaz, Stokes and Finch. Douglas and Kelsall scored for the Corinthians. The teams were:

Corinthians—Goal, Selfe; full backs, Goodwin and T. Martin; half backs, Collinson, Hodgson and T. Davies; forwards, C. Martin, G. Petch, Kelsall, Douglas and Knox.

Duncan—Goal, H. Peale; full backs, C. F. Rivaz and W. M. Stokes; half backs, D. Alexander, P. Jaynes and E. P. Jaynes; forwards, R. Glendenning, Christmas, A. H. Lomas, O. Price and L. H. Finch.

J. A. Allan refereed impartially.

SPORT NOTES

With their most formidable rivals, the Wards, ousted from the league, the Forsters are confident that they can annex the amateur Island championship without any difficulty and judging by the results of the games played so far their claim seems to be well founded. They are not, by any means, rejoicing over the suspension of the Wards, as they would have liked to have proved their superiority over a team which was to all appearances a worthy competitor for championship honors.

Ad Wolgrast, lightweight champion, and George Memrie, challenger for the title, are fast rounding up shape for their 20-round bout at Vernon arena, Los Angeles, next Friday afternoon, and their training quarters are daily visited by thousands of fans. The men are within a few pounds of the stipulated weight—133 pounds, ringside.

Johnny Coulon and Harry Forbes, who will meet at Kenosha, Wis., will weigh in at 116 pounds at 6 o'clock on the night of March 28, according to an announcement to-day.

The standing of the teams in the Provincial league is as follows:

W. L. D. Pts			
Vancouver	2	0	4
Nanaimo	1	1	5
Caledonia	1	1	2
Ladysmith	0	1	1

Russia produces about 95 per cent. of the world's platinum.

WANDERERS SNOWED UNDER BY A.O.F. MEN

Amateur Team Had an Easy Time—Losers Lacking in Decisiveness

In Saturday's game between the Forsters and the Wanderers, the latter did not have the slightest chance even, one all, but being a little too vigorous in his effort to clear, one of the villagers fouled inside the penalty line. Kelsall took the kick, and with a beautiful drive beat the Duncan goalkeeper.

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Wanderers—Goals, E. Bishop; full backs, C. Bishop and E. MacDonald; half backs, Knisely, Wainright and A. Middletown; forwards, G. Sherrill, G. Bishop, A. Petch, C. Thomas and D. Hughes.

Forsters—Goal, Beaney; full backs, Holland and Greig; half backs, Barber, H. Campbell and Lutzen; forwards, Young, Whittle, Thackeray, Bowshay and A. Campbell.

J. R. Allan refereed in a very satisfactory manner.

ENGLISH SOCCER MATCHES.

London, March 12.—The fourth round of the Association cup to decide who will enter the semi-final was played off Saturday. The feature game between Newcastle and Derby resulted in an easy win for Newcastle, while Westham made a strong fight, but were beaten by Blackburn Rovers. Following the results: Chelsea, 3; Swindon Town, 1. Westham United, 2; Blackburn Rovers, 1.

Newcastle United, 4; Derby County, 0. Bradford City, 1; Burnley, 0.

Following are the results of league games played on Saturday:

First Division.

Bury, 2; Tottenham Hotspur, 1. Notts County, 1; Oldham Athletic, 0.

Woolwich Arsenal, 2; Everton, 0.

Aston Villa, 2; Bristol City, 0.

Wolverhampton Wanderers, 2; Birmingham, 1.

Sunderland, 1; Sheffield Wednesday, 2.

Manchester United, 5; Preston North End, 0.

Second Division.

Barnsley, 0; Hull City, 1.

Clapton Orient, 2; Lincoln City, 0.

Gainsborough Trinity, 1; Bolton Wanderers, 0.

Leicester Fosse, 2; West Bromwich Albion, 2.

Stockport County, 1; Bradford, 0.

Southern League.

Bristol Rovers, 6; New Brompton, 2.

Exeter City, 2; Queen's Park Rangers, 2.

Northampton, 3; Luton, 1.

Portsmouth, 1; Norwich City, 1.

Crystal Palace, 2; Coventry City, 0.

Brentford, 3; Southend United, 1.

Leyton, 4; Southampton, 0.

Watford, 2; Plymouth Argyle, 0.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME.

If Union Does Not Interfere Leaders Will Meet.

On Wednesday night in the institute hall the Y. M. I. and M. C. A. basketball teams will meet for the second time in the intermediate series. The game will be without doubt one of the easiest and most interesting played this season, as the boys are as evenly matched as is possible. The last time they met Y. M. I. won out by one point.

The Y. M. C. A. team will line-up as follows: Guards, Backwood and Archibald; centre, McKeon; forwards, Wilfroth and Baker.

The Y. M. I. line-up is doubtful, as the boys do not know what will be done at the meeting of the B. C. A. A. U. tonight. If the union takes the stand that the sportsmen around town think it will the Y. M. I. team will be broken up completely. The following represent Y. M. I.: Guards, Macdonald and McDougal; centre, Frank Sweeney; forwards, Brown and McArthur.

If Y. M. I. wins this game they will carry off the championship of the intermediate basketball series.

SLACK "WATER-ACTIVE" PASS.

March, 1911.

[H. W. Slack] [L. W. Slack]

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ESQUIMALT TEAMS

DEFEAT LODGEMEN

Foresters Play One Man Short and Are Beaten by One Goal

In what could hardly be called a very exciting game, the Esquimalt professional Island League team defeated the Foresters by one goal on Saturday. The score was 2 to 1.

The Foresters did very well considering the fact that they played with only ten men, and for a considerable time with only nine. But although they played a good game the result was to be expected, as Esquimalt were on the aggressive most of the time.

The first tally came towards the end of the initial period of play when Gale, the Esquimalt centreforward, slipped the ball past Costello after a fierce scrimmage in front of the goal. Lorimer and Costello were doing splendid work for the losers, and it was owing to their sturdy defence that the score was kept down as low as it was.

In the second half the Foresters made a better showing, but do what they might they could not keep the Esquimalt man forwards back, and after a spirited rush on the part of Taylor and Gale, the latter again scored. Black as the outlook was the lodgemen did not lose heart, and towards the end of the game their persistence was rewarded. Clarke centred the ball and Wyllie kicked, or rather hunted, it into the net. After this Esquimalt again came to the fore, and although there was no further scoring had things pretty much their own way. A. Lockley handled the whistle to the satisfaction of everyone. The teams were:

Esquimalt—Goal, Thomas; full backs, Wyllie and Ishister; half backs, Sheriff, Duffy and Grestor; forwards, Dakers (J.), Taylor, Gale, Ruffe and Buxton.

Foresters—Goal, Costello; full backs, Lorimer (S.) and Newlands; half backs, Welsh, Ferris, —; forwards, Clarke, McDonald, Wilson, Young (J.) and Barnes.

VANCOUVERS DANCE AND ARE DEFEATED

Nanaimo Shows Up in Great Form—McCormick Does Good Work



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ISLAND CHAMPIONS WIN FROM CALLIES

Ladysmith Secures Its First

Game of Series Before Large Crowd

Before one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a game of Association football on the Island, Ladysmith yesterday evening beat the Vancouver "Callies" to the tune of 3 to 0 nil.

The Callies played a good, hard-working game, but the tricky combination and heady team work of the Island champions was too much for them. Muir, a local boy, was very much in evidence and he was directly responsible for one of the goals. Adams and McGuire scored the other two.

A large crowd of rooters went up to witness the game from here and from Duncan, and, of course, the Callies had with them the usual number of supporters. The teams were:

Ladysmith—Goal, D. Dougan; full backs, J. Rogers and N. Hines; half backs, Joe Bayley, F. Hines and H. Upton; forwards, F. Youson, W. McGuire, J. Adam, A. Muir and J. Sander-

One hundred and thirty-three lots sold in our Monterey Place, Oak Bay, subdivision is "news" that should interest every person seeking an investment or looking for a home site.

The fact that so many have chosen lots in this subdivision should interest you to the extent of securing a plan and learning more about the attractive prices and the unusually easy terms on which we offer these.

Construction has already commenced on several stylish homes in this property and we already have contracts for several others, work on which will be commenced within a week or two.

This building activity, coupled with the splendid street improvements about to be commenced is going to "boost" prices here.

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Financial Statement

OF THE

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HEAD OFFICE - WATERLOO, ONTARIO

For Year Ending December 31st, 1910

CASH ACCOUNT

INCOME.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Net Ledger Assets, December 31, 1909	\$18,569,737.02	To Policyholders:	
Premiums (net)	2,245,264.25	Death claims	\$347,764.42
Interest	775,152.14	Matured Endowments	258,319.00
		Surrendered Policies	87,245.25
		Surplus	101,521.60
		Annuities	9,905.51
			804,759.18
			502,780.60
		Expenses, Taxes, etc.	
		Balance, Net Ledger Assets, December 31st, 1910	15,523,193.63
			\$16,830,732.41

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Mortgages	\$8,296,194.57	Reserve, 4%, 234% and 3%	\$13,307,954.13
Debentures and Bonds	4,994,077.00	Reserve on lapsed policies on which surrendered values are claimable	2,624.97
Loans on Policies	2,027,132.70		33,950.00
Premium Obligations	14,722.05	Death claims unadjusted	
Real Estate	86,863.11	Present value of amounts not yet due on matured instalment policies	
Cash in Banks	119,186.39	Matured Endowments, unadjusted	104,424.26
Cash at Head Office	5,651.34	Premiums paid in advance	2,400.00
Due and Deferred Premiums (net)	389,688.81	Due for medical fees and sundry accounts	14,890.28
Interest due and accrued	346,684.61	Credit Ledger Balances	11,430.26
		Surplus, December 31st, 1910	20,614.53
		(Surplus on Government Standard of Valuation, \$3,042,427.39)	2,776,253.15
			\$16,279,561.58

Audited and found correct.
J. M. SCULLY, F.C.A., Auditor.
Waterloo, January 24th, 1911.

New Business (Canadian) written in 1910... \$ 9,332,774; Increase over 1909... \$1,207,196
Assurance in force, December 31st, 1910.... 64,855,279; Increase over 1909... 5,593,320
Assets, all solid, December 31st, 1910.... 16,279,562; Increase over 1909... 1,761,120
Surplus, December 31st, 1910.... 2,776,253; Surplus earned in 1910 615,083

The general results for the year have been most gratifying, showing:—(a) Decrease in Death Losses; (b) Increase in Rate of Interest earned on investments; (c) A Low Expense Rate.

The interest Income for 1910 exceeded the Death Losses by \$427,967.72, a sum almost sufficient to pay all the expenses of the Company for the year.

R. L. DRURY, Manager, Victoria, B. C.

WELL KNOWN ARTIST SHOOTS HIMSELF

Body of Henry Epting Found on Hill Near Portland—Cause of Act Unknown

(Times Leased Wire)
Portland, Ore., March 13.—Although twenty-four hours have passed since the discovery of the body of Henry Epting, artist, known from Alaska to the Mexican line, the coroner has discovered no clue that will explain the reason for the man's suicide. His body was found on Council Crest, a hill overlooking Portland. He had shot himself in the head. In the pocket was found a note reading: "This is a case of self destruction."

A sealed letter directed to Miss Mary Epting, 1187 Sanchez street, San Francisco, and a list of friends' names whom he wished to be notified was pinned to the letter.

Epting was considered as being among the best color artists on the Pacific Coast. In his younger days he had worked in the art departments of many coast newspapers.

U. S. FORCES

READY FOR ACTION

(Continued from page 1.)

city Steamship Co. would bring from San Francisco to-morrow 100 tons of quartermasters' supplies. These supplies are said to be in the form of rations, such as would be utilized for a march.

Recruiting for Cavalry.

San Antonio, Texas, March 13.—Feverish haste shown in recruiting the Ninth and Eleventh cavalry regiments led to the belief to-day that they are intended for first active service. Both regiments are below even normal strength.

The Southern Pacific railroad has been ordered to hold trains in readiness for instant transportation of the troops. No move, however, will be made until the arrival of General Wood, either to-morrow or Wednesday.

DETERMINED TO CRUSH REVOLUTION

(Continued from page 1.)

The entire 4th United States cavalry is now encamped here, two troops having arrived last night. Scouts report that insurgents are gathering in the hills south of Juarez.

Driven Out By Rebels.

Mexicali, Mex., March 13.—Twenty Mexican rurales, accompanied by all the insurrectos, are to-day on their way to Yuma, Ariz., over American territory. They received instructions from the Mexican government to report to Yuma and there meet a force of Mexican troops who will attempt to take possession of Algodones and hold it against the rebels. The statement was positive that the Mexican troops would meet the rurales at Yuma on American soil.

Take Mexican Town.

Tecate, California, March 13.—Gloriously drunk, thirty Mexican insurrectos, headed by Louis Rodriguez, who late yesterday captured the Mexican town just across the line from here, are to-day in possession of that village and are likely to be attacked before night by Mexican federales, who are expected at any hour.

In the Mexican village, two stores, which formerly were saloons, are the headquarters of the rebels. As soon as the insurrectos arrived they battered in the doors of both places and within an hour nearly all were the worse for liquor.

While the American troops under Lieut. Connolly of the 8th regiment, watched from across the border, the rebels caroused all night.

While no definite information has been obtained by the American troops it is understood that a force of Mexican federales are near.

Captured As Spy.

Tin Juan, Mex., March 13.—Taken as a rebel spy, Juan Borrenta, 75, a rancher who lives in the hills near here, to-day is a prisoner held incommunicado in the Quartel here and under the ruling of President Diaz, is likely to be shot within a day or two.

Borrenta was said to have been taken with letters and maps in his possession which were to have been delivered to Louis Rodriguez, the rebel commander at Tecate.

Fight At Agua Prieta.

Huachuca, Ariz., March 13.—General Blanco declared to-day that the battle at Agua Prieta yesterday was merely a demonstration to determine the strength of the federal force, and that the real attack will begin to-day. An American physician who attended the injured after the battle estimates the casualties at 21 killed and 15 wounded on the federal side, while the rebels lost only two men killed and three injured.

The United States troops are lined up on the American side of the border ready for any emergency.

Captain Wheeler, of the Rangers, reports to-day that he was fired upon by a party of federales yesterday following the battle of Agua Prieta. Captain Wheeler was rounding up horses on the Mexican side of the line when he sighted a small band of federales. They mistook him for a rebel scout and immediately opened fire. Wheeler escaped into the hills and made his way to Douglas.

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Institution

A banquet which was in its way unique was that which was held in Bijou hall, Granville Mansions, Vancouver, on Friday evening, when the directors and officers of the Dominion Trust Company, one of the province's great financial institutions, dined as the guests of the company's staff. The occasion was one which will live long in the business annals of that city as indicative of the success which a skilfully managed business has attained, as well as to the complete harmony which exists in the ranks of employers and employed. The big hall just accommodated the gathering, the three tables and that at the head for the principal guests being comfortably filled when the chairman rapped for order and a blessing was asked by his lordship Bishop De Pencier.

At the head table, flanking the chairman, F. C. Barter, were Lieutenant-Governor Paterson, Bishop De Pencier of New Westminster, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, W. R. Arnold, managing director of the company; W. H. P. Clubb, T. R. Pearson and Judge Grant.

There were several guests from the capital, where the company has a thriving business and where it will soon have a building of its own that will vie with the great commercial structures already erected or planned. In addition to those from Victoria and the island already named were Henry Croft, A. E. Planta, Nanaimo; Hugh Kennedy, R. J. Hartley, of the Times staff.

The toast of the King having been loyally honored, the chairman read regrets at their inability to be present from Hon. Richard McBride, Attorney-General Bowyer, Norton Griffiths, M. P.; Frederick Benson of London, Hon. D. M. Eberts and Hon. Thomas Taylor.

"Canada" was proposed by Judge

Grant. The learned judge commenced by congratulating the officers of the Dominion Trust Company in having not only the highest building in the Canadian west by also in having its financial foundations laid deeply and strongly. In the persevering industry and the integrity of those who had the direction and control of affairs, turning to the progress of Canada generally, he spoke of the rapid strides which were being made towards a glorious nationhood and expressed the view that the time had come when Canada should not only a navy of her own but also a standing army worthy of the name. He counselled the efficient fortification of the coasts, making especial reference to the necessity for the defence both of Vancouver and of Prince Rupert.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Paterson replied felicitously. The day had come, he said, when all Canadians were proud to call themselves by that name, inasmuch as the day had come when Canada was acknowledged the world over, not merely as being among the most enterprising nations of the earth, but actually as being the most enterprising. A quarter of a century ago it had been hard for a young man to get along in the Dominion, and the United States had been the leader in the influx of many of the best young Canadians. Things were different now, for Canada presents the best opportunities that the world can offer. The Lieutenant-governor regarded the mere idea of annexation as an utter absurdity, and pointed out that there are in the Dominion at present millions of acres of rich land which have not yet even been explored, but which can not fail to prove of immense value. He closed with a tribute to the high standing of Canada's public men, and praised the governmental system of the Dominion as the best that had yet been devised.

In proposing the toast to the province of British Columbia, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, formerly Lieutenant-governor, dealt with a series of interesting reminiscences of the early days. He told of the trials and difficulties of the pioneers, and gave personal testimony to the manner in which the hardy men of half a century ago had combated them. He himself had been in the province for fifty-two years, he said, and it had been his privilege to see perhaps more of it than had any person present.

"I have often been broke," said Mr. Dewdney, "but I've never been discouraged or disheartened in any way, nor ne'er man who has determination ever have cause to be disheartened in this glorious province of ours."

Bishop De Pencier, in responding to the toast, said that he felt qualified to do so inasmuch as he had been all over the province, from the coast to the Alberta boundary, and from the United States line to Fort George. He spoke of the material prosperity of the province at some length, and counseled the bringing in of settlers of the right kind, to make the places at present unsettled become productive.

"We want men of brawn and mus-

cle," said his lordship, "but we want men of brain and integrity, too, men animated by the principles of Christian civilization, men whose uprightness, honesty and commercial probity can be relied on to carry on the splendid traditions of the past, men who have made possible the existence of just such splendid institutions as those we see about us to-day."

"The Directors and Officers," proposed by the chairman, brought forth a speech in which the laws of British Columbia respecting a rigid insistence of carefulness in the conduct of financial institutions were warmly praised and a strong guarantee that the officers of the Dominion Trust Company would be in favor of making the laws in this respect even more rigid. In coupling with the toast the name of W. R. Arnold, managing director of the Dominion Trust Company, the chairman paid a tribute to the energy and efficiency, the pluck and progressiveness which he had ever shown.

Mr. Arnold, who was received with thanks, thanked the company for the kindness shown him. It had been hard work for the past seven years, he said, but satisfaction was to be found in the success that had been made for the first five years, but the business now was twenty times as great as it was at the close of 1905, and ten times as great as it was at the end of 1908. Mr. Arnold gave some figures demonstrating the wonderful growth of the company. In 1903 the assets were \$98,425; in 1910, \$1,643,496. The mortgage business for 1910 amounted to \$1,327,873. The trustfund, \$3,164,953. Their insurance in force was \$6,378,821. He closed with an eloquent tribute to the loyalty and devotion of the staff, and predicted that the Dominion Trust Company was destined to be the leading financial concern of Canada.

Brief speeches were also made by Mayor L. D. Taylor, Dr. Drew, New Westminster; A. E. Planta and Henry Croft.

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Seattle, Wash., March 12.—While

WHALERS GET AWAY.

Black and White Left for Kyuquot on Saturday—Two More Leaving at Week-end.

Two more whalers, the White and Black, left port on Saturday for the west coast and will commence work at the Kyuquot station. At the end of the present week the Orion and St. Lawrence, the first whalers to arrive here for the Pacific Whaling company, will sign their crews and be dispatched to the Rose Harbor station on Queen Charlotte Islands. Of the remaining four vessels two will be sent to the new Naden Harbor station as soon as it is completed and the other two will be commissioned to wherever the most whales are sighted.

NEWINGTON RETURNS.

Steamer Has Been Away From Port for Six Weeks Attending to Work.

After being away from port for six weeks, the steamer Newington, Capt. Bates, of the Marine and Fisheries department, returned to port on Saturday afternoon. The vessel went as far north as Ivory Island, taking W. H. Peters, inspector of fog alarm stations, there. She recharged all beacons this side of Queen Charlotte Sound and also placed two new gas buoys on Haddington Reef and Cortes Island. Fine weather was encountered throughout the passage, except for two days, when a roush spell was experienced in Queen Charlotte sound.

HUSY AT DOCKS.

This morning the C. P. R. docks presented a very busy scene. All the accommodation was taken up by the steamers, and when the Princess Beatrice arrived from Skagway last night she had to tie up at the Victoria Dock company's wharf. The two big ferry steamers, Princess Victoria and Princess Charlotte, together with the Princess Mary, Otter, and City of Nanaimo, filled up all docking space.

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RAILWAY ROBBERY.

Fort William, March 12.—A serious robbery is said to have been committed on the C. P. R. train No. 97, due in Fort William Friday morning. Information, which is of the most meagre character, is that over \$1,000 in cash and notes, besides watches, cheques, etc., was abstracted from the berths of a sleeper. The C. P. R. police at work on the case are reticent. The robber

is thought to be in Fort William or Fort Arthur.

—A social dance, under the auspices of the A. O. F. Football Club, will be held to-morrow night in the A. O. U. W. hall. Miss Thane's orchestra has been engaged for the evening. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock and refreshments served at 12. The committee in charge have been working hard and one of the most enjoyable dances of the season is assured all who attend.

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Considering its proximity to the business section, the large territory it drains and the fact that it is soon to have a car line, offers quicker and larger returns for money invested now than any other portion of the city. Lots on side streets have sold at higher prices than at present asked for property on this thoroughfare.

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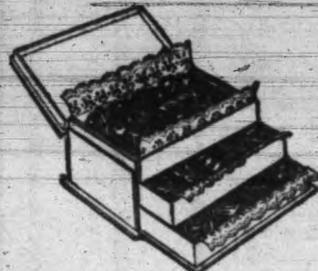
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BUILDING IN THE DOMINION

RETURNS RECEIVED FROM TWENTY-TWO CITIES

January Shows Increase of 37
Per Cent. Over the Same
Month Last Year

Although the month of January was
as far as individual gains and
losses were concerned, the aggregate
total (\$3,100,842) for building operations
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struction—Toronto, was 37 per cent. in
excess of that noted in the corresponding
period of the previous year. The
losses, while greater in number than
any recorded in the past twenty-four
months, indicate but little when the
comparative amounts in most cases are
taken into consideration, other than the
usual period of mid-winter inactivity.

Taking everything into account, the sit-
uation in general remains but little
changed. The gains noted are not only
of substantial proportions, but in a
number of instances are the largest by
far ever made in their respective localities.

Permits for January, 1911, compared
with the same month last year follows:

	January, 1911.	January, 1910.	P.C. P.C.
Berlin	3,259	3,259	
Brantford	5,650	5,650	863.83
Calgary	16,405	16,500	172.97
Edmonton	28,400	44,000	32.30
Galt	2,400	2,400	74.12
Halifax	8,600	26,800	74.34
Hamilton	26,250	19,000	106.58
Leeds	25,800	51,015	49.43
London	7,030	61,810	38.62
Montreal	365,840	150,310	129.35
Moose Jaw	3,500	2,860	14.75
Ottawa	29,100	57,650	30.03
Pl. Arthur	1,250	—	
Regina	9,225	21,985	62.48
Saskatoon	12,500	15,900	21.38
St. Thomas	1,200	2,800	57.14
Sydney	1,150	2,800	379.16
Toronto	458,580	622,668	32.77
Vancouver	1,412,442	631,311	128.73
Victoria	151,455	152,965	17.42
Windsor	16,225	5,556	182.34
Winnipeg	199,700	188,000	6.22

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Percentage decreases, as previously
stated, except in one or two individual
cases, amount to little as far as this
particular month is concerned. This is
quite evident in reviewing the figures of
Ontario, where most of the losses were
sustained. Toronto's decline of 32
per cent. is by far the most serious set-
back experienced throughout the
Dominion; yet, despite this reversal, per-
mits were issued amounting to \$458,580,
which is a very splendid showing, espe-
cially in view of the fact that several
important projects have been a trifle
slow in materializing. Outside of this
it is hardly necessary to summarize the
situation in this province, other than
to add that both Hamilton and Windsor
are relatively 106 and 109 per cent.
ahead of their former figures.

Further east, Montreal, which has the
third largest amount, records a total of
\$365,840, or a gain of 129 per cent. Evi-

ALLEN WILL HANG THURSDAY MORNING

Final Tribunal Affirms Sen-
tence of Assize Court
Judge and Jury

The Supreme Court of Canada, to
which a final appeal was made on behalf
of the condemned man, has upheld the
decision of the B. C. Court of Ap-
peal, and Gunner Thomas Allen, who
shot and killed Capt. Peter Ellison at
Work Point barracks last August, will
suffer the extreme penalty of the law,
as meted out to him by the jury which
tried his case, and will expire his
crime by hanging at the provincial jail,
Hillside avenue, on Thursday morn-
ing.

The notification that the highest
court a criminal appeal can be taken to
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The condemned man was notified at
the jail on Saturday, but did not show
any signs of fear or dread. He told the
messenger that he had not expected a
remission of the sentence or a new
trial, and that he was ready to pay
the penalty for the crime he committed.

Work commenced at the jail this
morning on the scaffold upon which
Allen will die. The gibbet timbers
which have done duty in the past on
similar dread occasions are being used,
and the ropes and machinery are un-
dergoing overhauling and greasing.

Word was received Saturday evening
by telegraph from Ottawa that Allen's
final appeal had been lost. The hang-
man is said to be an Eastern man, and
to be on his way to Victoria now.
Sheriff Richards will not make his
name public. No appointment has been
made to succeed Hangman Radcliffe.

The hanging of Allen on Thursday
morning is timed for 7.45 sharp.

RACE TO SAVE TRAIN.

Cheque From Company for Man Who
Averted Disaster.

George Lloyd, a servant of the Great
Western Railway Company at Mountain
Ash, South Wales, has just re-
ceived a cheque from the directors of
the company, through Mr. Upson, the
divisional superintendent at Pontypool
road, for stopping a passenger train on
the night of December 16, and saving it
from running into an obstruction.

Mr. Lloyd, who is nearly 50 years of
age, was walking in the direction of
Aberdare along the railway, and when
he had passed the residence of Lord
Aberdare he found a huge landslip
covering the whole railway. The
Powell-Duffryn Company's colliery tip
had been washed down from the side
of the adjoining mountain, and an entire
plantation had been carried over
the Aberdare canal, completely block-
ing the line.

A train from Swansea had just left
Aberdare, and as there was no signal
box near, the one close by having been
placed out of circuit an hour previously,
Mr. Lloyd rushed in the direction of
Aberdare, as he knew the train was
due, and placing detonators on the rails
was able to stop the engine within 50
yards of the obstruction.

The landslip had brought down the
whole of the telephone and signal wires,
and there would have been no chance
of stopping the train if Mr. Lloyd had
not had detonators in his pocket, a
miraculous event.

Mr. Lloyd had to run over the whole
of the wreckage. He fell twice, and
then ran another 100 yards before putting
down detonators, and halting the
rumble of the passenger train in the
distance. He put four or five detonators
down altogether.

BOY SCOUTS.

British War Minister Pays Tribute to
Organization.

Urging that it was the duty of everyone
to throw their whole energies into
recruiting and assisting the Territorial
Forces, Mr. Haldane recently paid a
notable tribute to the Boy Scouts.

He was speaking at a Territorial prize
distribution at Bournemouth.

As to military training, he said, he
did not think there was anything more
splendid than the organization of the
Boy Scouts. As a nation were backward
in education, with no means of
filling up the gaps between 14, when
leaving the elementary school, and 17,
and he would like to see the fine physi-
cal and military training which Boy
Scouts received made part of the cur-
riculum during those three years.

If he could, by a wave of a magician's
wand, accomplish everything he wanted,
he would still not resort to compulsion
to fill the ranks of the Territorial
Forces.

He based his objections to compulsion
upon other than sentimental reasons.
If he were a German, a French-
man, or a Swiss, he would be for com-
pulsory service, for the first thing to
be done in those countries was to de-
fend their land frontier, and that could
only be done by throwing their whole
manhood into such defence. Great Britain
was differently situated, inasmuch as her
first line of defence was naval, and she also
possessed large armies of trained troops overseas in India, Egypt,
Africa, and other distant places. They
did not need a great home defence
army, because they had the sea be-
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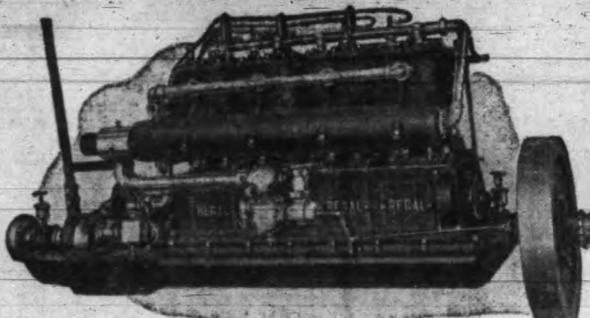
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SIXTEEN AMERICANS KILLED IN BATTLE

Fell in Fight Between Madero's
Forces and Mexican
Troops

El Paso, Texas, March 13.—That Francisco I. Madero is concentrating his forces in western Chihuahua again to give battle to Col. Cuellar at Casas Grandes, is indicated by reports to El Paso by Roy Kelley, a wounded American survivor of last Monday's battle. Kelly says his home is at Smithport, Pa.

Regarding casualties among Americans in Monday's battle, Kelly says: "Sixteen were killed and seventeen captured by the federales, while six were wounded and escaped with the

rebels. Among the killed were Captain Harrington, Roy Glenn, of El Paso; Martin Ryan, formerly of the United States army; Robert E. Lee, of California; H. Sevier, W. Rees and Robert Evans. John F. Greer was wounded.

Kelly states that Madero was slightly wounded in the arm and that the rebels lost a wagon train of twenty wagons, including a quantity of rifles and ammunition.

Among the insurrecto officers killed were Raoul Madero, brother of Francisco I. Madero, L. Gutierrez de Lara, of Los Angeles; Giuseppe Garibaldi, nephew of the Italian liberator; Captain Alana and Major Hayes, the latter of Scottish descent.

Kelly's story of the battle follows:

The battle of Casas Grandes lasted from 4 to 9 a. m., Monday. Madero with 700 men attacked the town from three sides. The federal garrison, entrenched on the roofs of houses made a spirited reply and repulsed repeated assaults by the rebels.

One rebel band under Major Hayes charged down the main street and dynamited the jail before it was annihilated. The American company un-

der Captain Harrington gained entrance to several houses, and from windows inflicted heavy losses upon the federales.

Being hard pressed, the garrison, about 9 o'clock, hoisted a white flag.

Madero's men were preparing to accept the surrender when Col. Cuellar appeared across the river with six hundred men. Discouraged by the appearance of this reinforcement, and unprepared for the renewed attack, Madero's men were driven back and retreated to the mountains in a panic.

The rush of Cuellar's men trapped the American company in houses where they had taken refuge, but the latter inflicted heavy losses upon the federales before the survivors were finally compelled to surrender.

One hundred Maderistas were killed, while the federal loss is estimated at 200 killed and wounded.

Although never under fire before, Madero was in the thickest of the fight, encouraging his troops and giving orders with the coolness of a veteran. He was hit in the arm while reaching for the gun of a man who was killed beside him.

SHOULD ALTER

SEA WALL PLANS

(Continued from page 1)

Gentlemen:—I have your instructions to if possible give an accurate estimate of the cost of the proposed Dallas road sea wall. It is impossible to give an absolutely accurate estimate on account of the nature and conditions surrounding the proposed wall. To get a fairly accurate estimate would necessitate sinking test holes at least two for each counterfort, and there are 25 counterforts along the wall. To sink such test holes would cost between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

Provision was made for providing for the indefiniteness of the different quantities that go to make up the sea wall. The specifications state that the bill of quantities is in no way guaranteed, but is furnished as a guidance to the contractor in making up his tender. The specifications also state that the work shall be carried out in accordance with the drawings or any other drawings that may be supplied to the contractor from time to time, and shall be of the length, breadth, depth, dimensions and descriptions shown on the drawings or mentioned in this specification; subject, however, to such modifications, alterations, increase or diminution of dimensions, deductions, additions or variations as may be deemed necessary by the engineer from time to time during the progress of the work and convenience of this contract.

A survey and cross-sections were made of the site of the proposed wall and plans drawn, showing the particular in connection with the wall, and quantities tabulated in accordance with these plans. The form of tender provided for a fixed price per cubic foot of granite in place, per cubic yard of concrete, for steel rods face plates, expanded metal and back plates per the

excavation per cubic yard, back filling for each of clay, puddle, loose rock and earth per cubic yard. Lumber left in foundations per thousand feet.

The bill of quantities contains the estimate of the probable quantities for the purpose of comparing bids and to give the contractor an idea of the extent of the work. Before the actual work was started, the plans were finally considered and changes made, enlarging the foundations of the counterforts and also enlarging the factor of safety in different parts of the wall, making the bulk quantities somewhat larger and increasing the cost, according to Mr. Mohun's estimate by \$9,000, and according to Mr. Foreman's estimate \$12,300.

The inspecting engineer has watched the action of the sea on the old wall and on the cliff, and has made special note of the storms of January 23 and February 12, and from this and other information gathered in different ways, it was decided to go deeper with the foundations than at any time previously anticipated.

In lowering the foundations rock has been encountered at a considerable elevation above high water mark, while the plans are drawn showing the foundations for 80 per cent. of the wall to be several feet below low water mark. In all probability rock will be met at an elevation higher than the footings shown on the plans. In such case the estimated cost will be considerably diminished. If the foundations are raised due to the presence of rock one foot, it will mean a saving of approximately \$2,000 for half the length of the wall or \$4,000 for the full length of the wall. Upon the original basis the estimated quantities of the contract would cost \$74,388. According to Mr. Mohun's figures the change in plan will cost \$9,000, the deepening or foundations which was suggested on account of the action of the sea by Mr. Foreman would cost \$9,500, the proposed parapet wall is estimated at \$2,500, bringing the estimate up to \$96,388. There is every probability that rock will be found as has been found, already so far considerably above low water, and in that event it is quite probable that the foundations will not go within five feet of the estimated depth for 80 per cent. of the length of the wall, and in such case a saving of \$15,000 would be made.

The city has undertaken to furnish \$75,000 and the government is providing \$20,000, making the amount available \$95,000. In all probability the work will cost less than this amount.

There are no "extras" in the ordinary term of "extras." There is a fixed price per unit of the different materials, so that real value will be obtained for all money that is paid out in connection with the wall. The amount of the different materials going to make up the wall are the indefinite quantities which makes an accurate estimate impossible.

Were test holes put down in the first place an accurate estimate of the quantities could have been made, but the cost of putting down these test holes would not be represented in value in the finished wall.

Yours respectfully
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City Engineer.

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Prince Rupert Arrived in Port Early Saturday Evening
Many Passengers Aboard

Favored by excellent weather conditions, the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, made an exceptionally fast passage south from Prince Rupert and arrived in port on Saturday evening a considerable time ahead of her schedule. This was the first trip the Rupert had made to the northern terminus since her overhauling, having been placed in commission last Sunday to relieve her sister ship, the Prince George. The fact that the steamer's hull was clean was also partly responsible for the fast run.

The Prince Rupert brought south about 75 passengers, among whom was H. S. Durkee, travelling purser and auditor of the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company, with headquarters at Vancouver, who has been visiting Rupert. He reports that the G. T. P. steamers are securing a large share of the northern trade, the Rupert taking a large complement to her namesake town as well as bringing a good number to the southern cities. As the season advances and with the two crack steamers operating on the Victoria, Prince Rupert and Stewart run, Mr. Durkee expects that the business will build up rapidly and that the palatial vessels will be well patronized by those travelling north and south.

Among the other passengers who returned from the north and left the vessel at this port were: F. E. Cullin, W. Blane, W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Meshier, C. Petersen, J. H. Bacon, Mrs. Newton, and E. H. Fletcher, post office inspector. The passengers state that Jupiter Pluvius is paying a visit to Prince Rupert and is bestowing his blessings liberally upon that city. While it is impeding the long programme of work now being carried out by the council and private owners in the north still all fine days are taken advantage of and the jobs are rushed with lightning speed.

Last night the Prince Rupert sailed for the north, carrying many passengers and a full list of passengers.

AORANGI BREAKS DOWN.

Machinery Was Disabled For Several Days on Way to San Francisco.

Passengers and crew aboard the steamship Aorangi of the Union Steamship Company heaved a sigh of relief when the vessel was made fast at San Francisco on Thursday evening last, completing an eventful voyage from British colony ports via Rarotonga and Papeete. Several times during the passage the steamer broke down and rolled helplessly in the tropical seas until her defective machinery was repaired. Had stormy weather sprung up while the vessel was disabled the situation would have been exceedingly grave, but as it was there was no immediate danger and, instead of succumbing to fear, the passengers rather enjoyed the breakdown by engaging in

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SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

	From the Orient.	March 19
Kumeric		
Sudo Maru	March 16	
Tacoma Maru	March 22	
Empress of Japan	March 21	
Makura	April 5	
Ning Chow	March 18	
Lonsdale	March 20	
Tambo Maru	March 14	
Empress of India	March 22	
Tacoma Maru	April 1	
St. Ronald	March 18	
For Mexico.		
Bellerophon	March 22	
Moana	March 24	
For Australia.		
Umatilla	March 23	
From Skagway.		
Princess Beatrice	March 17	
From Northern B. C. Ports.		
Venture	March 18	
Prince Rupert	March 18	
Amur	March 20	
Vadso	March 22	
For the West Coast.		
Tees	March 19	
From Nanaimo.		
Princess Mary	March 19	
For San Francisco.		
Umatilla	March 18	
City of Puebla	March 22	
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Princess May	March 17	
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Cetaria	March 27	
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For Nanaimo.		
Princess Mary	March 19	
FERRY SERVICE.		
Victoria-Vancouver.		
Princess Victoria leaves Victoria daily at 3:30 p. m. except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 8:15 p. m.; Princess Royal leaves Victoria daily at 11:45 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 6 a. m.		
Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2:30 p. m.; Princess Royal leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving at Victoria at 2:30 p. m.		
Victoria-Seattle.		
Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 4:30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 5 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2:30 p. m. On the like-over day the steamer is: quols, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.		
Vancouver-Seattle.		
Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11:30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 8:30 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle at 11:30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.		
MARINE NOTES		
Word has been received here announcing that the Osaka Shosen Kaihatsu Tacona Maru, has left Yokohama, and will arrive at Victoria on March 22. She has for this port 100 tons of cargo and sixteen Chinese. *		
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Saturday afternoon the sealing schooner Lady Mine, Capt. Delouche, sailed for the California coast on a nine months cruise. The Jessie, in command of Capt. George Heater, will very likely leave port either to-night or to-morrow morning. *		
After looking up all the available records and conferring with other mariners, Capt. Frederickson, of the schooner Philippine, asserts that on his last voyage from San Pedro he established a new speed record between that port and Tacoma. The Philippine, which arrived Friday night, made the trip in nine days and nine hours to Tacoma or eight days to Cape Flattery. *		
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C. P. R. CO.'S TELEGRAPH AND CHINOOK.

To the Editor:—While I do not wish to spoil the story told in yesterday's Colonist under the head of "Chinook Barrier," I think it but fair to the Chinook official to briefly state the simple facts of the incident. As secretary of the Western Branch of the Canadian Mining Institute I obtained the sanction of our chairman in my sending a congratulatory message to the annual meeting of the parent institute, to be opened in Quebec city the following morning. In adopting the suggestion made to me that I should close the message with a greeting in Chinook, I overlooked one of the printed conditions of the C. P. R. Co.'s telegraph, namely, that it will transmit and deliver at a stated reduced charge. "Night" telegrams are plain enough. The office manager directed my attention to this condition, which I promptly complied with by substituting "plain English" for the Chinook. My alleged eloquent pleading and the adamant attitude of the telegraph official are pleasant fictions, harmless, though perhaps useful to make the story more readable.

E. JACOBS.
Victoria, B. C., March 13, 1911.

SEA WALLS AND OTHER THINGS.

To the Editor:—Not being acquainted with the details of the design of the Dallas road sea wall and without attempting to criticise it, I thought perhaps the following from the preface to "The Sea Coast," by W. H. Wheeler, M. Inst. C. E., and probably the largest contributor to technical literature on the subject of coast protection, may be of interest to your readers just now:

"In no branch of engineering is there so little unanimity of opinion, or in which so much money is from time to time expended on works that are useless, as in the Holland sea wall. The engineers on the maintenance of the sea walls and defenses, the authorities are divided on most important questions of principle and practice, and, consequently, methods of protection which find favor in one part of the coast are condemned as costly and ineffectual by those who have charge of the defense of adjoining parts."

All attempts to preserve the littoral features of a country must be a perpetual struggle against natural forces. Ever since the crust of the earth became solid and cool enough to permit man to come to the surface the function of water, wind and weather has been to level, and if no other forces were at work it would only be a matter of time—a pretty long time—when "the waters would again prevail upon the face of the earth"; but, according to the instruments of Mr. Napier Denison, the voice of the Great Manipulator of all that is may still be heard in the earthquake and other terrestrial convulsions, saying, "Let the dry land continue to appear."

In the process of erosion on a coast line very little respect is paid to the fancy prices and artificial values placed on different strips of land, or even to the effect of the solemn ceremony of consecration (whatever it might be) for not only graveyards, but churches, with many other bits of property have alike disappeared into the capacious maw of the sea and ocean. While much has been done in the old world in saving and even reclaiming land from the effects of storm and tide on the sea coast, there is always a glorious uncertainty hanging over works for this purpose with regard to their permanent success.

Without intending to convey any opinion as to the projected wall on Dallas road, and quoting from the same authority, it might be said that in England the vertical wall is generally favored, while in Belgium and Holland a battered wall is generally adopted. After making this statement Mr. Wheeler discusses a number of actual structures and proceeds to say that he considers the most effectual form of wall would be a wall having a cycloidal or elliptical form at the bottom dying out into a vertical face at the top and having a slope conformable to the angle of repose of the beach at the bottom, seems to meet the requirements of a wall for coast defence in the best manner and to suffer from the fewest disadvantages."

It is indeed finding a use for the Smith's Hill reservoir to keep it to be referred to as "a useful example." It hath been truly said that "everybody knows that the sea rolls," yes, and while the sea rolls engineering science is progressing and the art of construction changeth. However, it is not my intention in this letter to discuss the relative merits of solid and reinforced concrete, or to say whether a sea wall should be given "an apron for the waves to roll up" and perhaps pay away.

H. A. IKKE.

LET THE LITTLE FELLOWS SPEAK.

To the Editor:—I notice that the great men of parliament, the magnates of the railway world, the manufacturers and the British Columbia fruit growers have spoken about the reciprocal arrangements. All of these may be reasonably supposed to be prejudiced. The politicians are partisan, the manufacturers and magnates are selfish protectionists, and the fruit growers are alarmists. Without giving one iota of proof or any figures of actual cost of production, markets affected, estimates of profits, or to the relation of these things either to the experience of the past or the probabilities of the future, the writer condemns without rhyme or reason. Almost every person who has spoken or written is hopelessly partisan or selfishly prejudiced.

Is not time for the other classes, who are at least 80 per cent of the population, to give their views? I should like to hear the president of the Board of Trade speak, giving a reasoned opinion as to the influence of reciprocity upon the trade and commerce of Victoria. Let Capt. Troup, Norman Hardie and other mercantile shipping agents give their opinion as to the influence of this arrangement upon shipping. Let the tradesmen in organization, through their officers, tell upon the presumed effects of reciprocity upon labor, either as to the wages or laborers, the cost of living to the workers, or its results upon the industries of the city. Professional persons, such as doctors, lawyers, clergymen, teachers, accountants and others should be consulted.

Then let the wage earning classes speak through some qualified representatives. I mean such classes as the civil service of the city, province and Dominion, policemen, bookkeepers, assistants and clerks in stores, stenographers, railway conductors, engineers and firemen, and all similar employees.

The managers of the hotel keepers, the merchants—retail and wholesale—would be worth having. I doubt if a dozen persons of all these classes could be found in the city of Victoria who would give a reasoned, unbiased, non-political judgment against the reciprocal arrangement.

As I said before, political opinions are

prejudiced and do not count. selfish manufacturing and other interests are too narrow and self-centred to weigh as an intelligent expression of public policy.

Is it not therefore reasonable to infer

that if all these various classes are bene-

fited, that if a portion of the burden of

taxation is lifted from their shoulders,

then the whole community will be ben-

efited also?

Just now vegetables from California are

being imported. The climatic conditions

of Canada are such that we cannot suc-

cessfully produce vegetables until May.

It is compulsory for us to purchase from

the sunny south in the early spring. This

is also true of the early kinds of fruit. Is

there any sane person who will arise and deny

that the removal of one-third of the price

of these goods will not benefit the people

to an appreciable extent?

The added cost of commodities, through the operations of Bowes' Companies Act, is nothing to be reckoned with. The added cost of many of the necessities of life through the tribute paid to the custom-house. Why, then, should not the masses of the people be relieved from the exactions of selfish business interests?

T. T.

THE CITY MARKET

Offs—	
Pratt's Coal Oil	1.65
Eocene	1.15
Meats—	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	.309 .22
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	.250 .28
Ham (American), per lb.	.25
Bacon (American), per lb.	.32
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.22
Beef, per lb.	.309 .25
Pork, per lb.	.309 .25
Mutton, per lb.	.150 .30
Lamb, hindquarter	2.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.750 2.00
Veal, per lb.	.309 .25
Suet, per lb.	.15
Farm Products—	
French Island Eggs	.50
Butter, Cowichan, ter. Victoria	.50
Butter, Salt Spring	.50
Butter (Eastern Townships)	.25
Lard, per lb.	.20
Western Canada Flour Mills—	
Purity, per sack	1.00
Purity, per bbl.	.740
Hemp—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.90
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	.750
Robin Hood, per sack	1.30
Robin Hood, per bbl.	.750
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.	.750
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.80
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	.750
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	.750
Enderby, per sack	1.90
Enderby, per bbl.	.750
Pastry Flours—	
Winnipeg, per sack	1.25
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.00
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild Rose	1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Grain—	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	35.00@40.00
Wheat, per lb.	.052
Barley	.25 .00
Wheat, per ton	35.00
Crs. ed Corn	.28 .00
Oats	.35 .00
Crushed Oats	.27 .00
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	.35
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.	.30
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.	.28
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	.40
Oatmeal, 1-lb. sack	.225
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	.45
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	.45
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.125 .25
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	.45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	.40
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	.75
Hay (baled), per ton	21.00@28.00
Straw, per bale	.75
Middlings, per ton	26.00
Bran, per ton	.32 .00
Ground-Feed, per ton	35.00
Shorts	.33 .00
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	.35
Ducks, per lb.	.250 .25
Geese (Island), per lb.	.200 .25
Garden Products—	
Carrots, per lb.	.05
Potatoes (local)	2.25@2.50
Seed Potatoes, per sack	2.50
Onions, per lb.	.40
Carrots, per lb.	.62
WHOLESALE MARKET.	
Bacon	.715@.75
Hams	.360 .35
Lard	.15
Cheese	.340 .37
Creamery Butter	.300 .32
Eggs	.240@.26
Apples	1.25@1.75
Bananas	.65
Beets, per sack	2.00
Cabbage, per lb.	.024@.035
Cranberries, per bbl.	10.00@11.00
Celery, per doz.	.30
Cauliflower, per doz.	.175
Grapefruit, per box	.40
Lemons	.300@.325
Rhubarb, per lb.	.12
Lettuce, per crate	.50
Onions, per case	.25
Oranges, case	2.50@2.75
Oranges, Japa.	.40
Onions	.04
Potatoes, per ton	35.00@40.00
Parsnips, per sack	2.00
Tomatoes, per crate	.20
Turnips, per sack	1.30
Haddies, per lb.	.35
Kippers, per lb.	.35
Salmon, per lb.	.15
Almonds, per lb.	.20
Chestnuts, per lb.	.20
Filberts, per lb.	.16
Peanuts, roasted	.10
Walnuts, per lb.	.16
Dates, per lb.	.075@.085
Figs, per lb.	.09@.10
Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz.	.40
Artichokes (Rose), per doz.	.180
Parsnips	.40
Watercress	.12
Brussels Sprouts	.12
Bitter Oranges, per case	.30
NEW YORK STOCKS.	
(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
New York, March 12.	
High, Low, Bid.	
Amal. Copper	824 829 831
Ann. Agr. Chemical	544 545 542
Ann. Car. & Foundry	532 532 524
Ann. Ice Securities	244 247 244
Ann. Smelting	753 748 745
Ann. Tel. & Tel.	145 144 144
Ann. Woolen	341 332 341
Atchison	1073 1063 1063
B. & O.	1082 1073 1073
C. P. R.	2141 2142 2142
Central Leather	276 263 265
Total sales, 210,000.	
CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.	
(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
Open High Low Close	
Wheat—	
May	914 916 906 904
June	896 898 886 884
July	884 886 878 876
Sept.	870 872 864 862
May	50 50 49 49

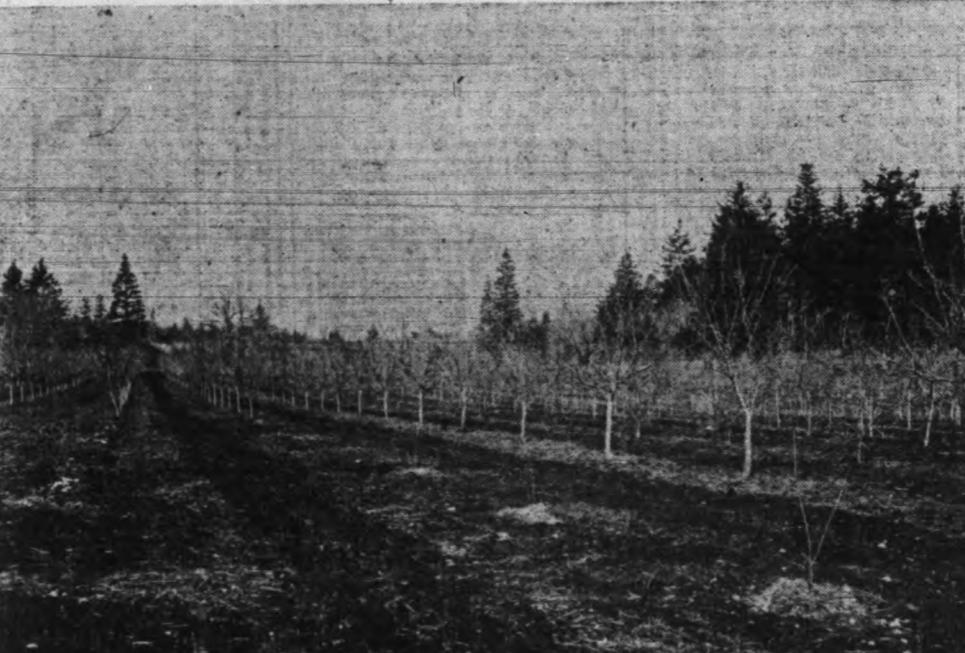
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and pear trees
as well as
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TWO ACQUITTED.

Springfield, Ills., March 13.—After three and one-half hours of deliberation, in which about twenty-one ballots were taken, the jury in the trial of State Senator Pemberton, of Oakland, and former Representative Clake, of Vanderlla, charged with having entered into a conspiracy to secure money corruptly for their votes, in awarding the contract for the furnishing of the senate and executive chamber of the state house, returned a verdict of not guilty.

DARING HOLDUP.

Bandit Covers Hotel Guests With a Revolver While Companion Rides Safe.

Ogden, Utah, March 13.—After holding six men at bay, two masked bandits rifled the safe of the Reed hotel at daybreak to-day and stole \$700. Within half an hour after the robbery two suspects were arrested who talked closely with descriptions of the robbers. A coat, hat and mask similar to those worn by one of the bandits were found, but the stolen money was not located.

The holdup occurred in the heart of the business district. One of the robbers helped the night clerk open the safe, while the other lined up against a wall five of the hotel guests.

Business Property

BLANCHARD STREET CORNER, 120 feet on Blanchard street between Pandora and the V. & S. Ry. depot. Undoubtedly the cheapest buy in inside property offered in the city. Price.....\$15,000
 DOUGLAS STREET, corner, 60 feet frontage, close to the City Hall. The cheapest thing offered on this thoroughfare. Price.....\$30,000
 DOUGLAS STREET, in one of the finest retail sections of the near future. Right where Douglas street will get the heaviest traffic, 53x135. Price, only \$15,000
 DOUGLAS STREET, 100x100 ft., corner. Investigate this.....\$40,000
 QUADRA STREET, fine corner, close to Fort street, 60x120, with large modern house. Price.....\$16,000

BURNSIDE ROAD

250 feet frontage close to Douglas Street. The cheapest thing offered on this street, and prices are on the rise. Price.....\$6,000
 CORNER, 55x158, high and dry. Good location. Cars will pass this property. Price.....\$1,050
 DOUBLE CORNER, 115x135, high and dry. Here is an opportunity to double the amount of cash required inside of two weeks. Price.....\$2,000
 BLOCK OF FIVE LOTS, just off the Burnside Road. Price.....\$2,100
 Quick action is necessary on this. It is a money maker. See us to-day.

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LABOR CONVENTION WELCOMED HERE

PREMIER JUST MISSES AN EMPTY HOUSE

Mayor Morley Also Welcomes
the Delegates on Behalf
of Victoria

All unconscious of the fact that if he had been but a moment or two later he would have found empty benches, Premier McBride walked into the Labor hall just before noon to welcome the delegates to the first convention of the British Columbia Federation of Labor. He was billeted to appear at a quarter to twelve but as he did not then appear, and as the convention had previously arranged to adjourn at noon, a motion of adjournment was before the house when the word was whispered round that he was on the stairs. The situation reminded one of that old saw, "the little more and how much it is; the little less and what world's away." The humor of the situation was somewhat added to by the fact that the first person the Premier addressed on entering the hall was Ald. Dods of New Westminster, who moved the adjournment motion.

The morning session of the convention consisted of about a hundred delegates drawn from practically all parts of the province where organized labor has a place. President G. W. Wallace presided. The hall was decorated with flags and floral ornaments for the occasion.

On behalf of the province Premier McBride extended a cordial welcome to the delegates. He regarded it as an important and representative convention. He said "during the past eight years as first minister in British Columbia it has been my duty as well as privilege to meet with many large and influential representations in the capital, but I do not hesitate to say that I count this present convention as of equal importance and having as far-reaching effects, so far as British Columbia is concerned, as any of them. This is a country where labor has every right to be recognized by the authorities, and that too in a most substantial fashion. So far as the authority with which I have the honor to be associated is concerned I do not hesitate to say that we have tried so far as is consistent with the general interest of the province to give that recognition on each and every occasion." Commenting on a remark of the chairman that all those present might not agree with his views the Premier pointed out that it was the right and privilege of everyone to support or criticize any particular party he chose. It was the exertion and enjoyment of that privilege that had much to do with the efficient as well as useful legislation of parliaments. "Here is a part of the Empire where labor has a right to a full acknowledgment, and speaking from my own point of view, and with regard particularly to the government I lead, we have tried in our work of government to give evidence of that acknowledgment." He then made a brief reference to the work of the past session, commenting on the legislation that had been brought in the interests of labor. "The government of today is not a workingman's government nor is it an administration of capitalists. It is a government for all the people of British Columbia." In regard to the measures which they had not been able to accept he stated that they had always been ready to accept the full responsibility.

He then launched out upon the Provincial university topic. He admitted that some of the spokesmen of labor had been rather condemnatory of the government in their criticism, but he hoped that when that project was completed they would realize that it was a good work. "In the construction and maintenance of this university there is no desire to take advantage of

any class, but there is a strong determination on the part of the government that this university, when established, shall be a people's university; under the control of the government in a large measure and one that will be a technical as well as an academic and scientific training to the boys and girls of British Columbia at the lowest possible cost. It is expected that in the academic courses for boys and girls the tuition will be free, and that in the professional classes there will be only a small charge at the most. In all the detailed efforts that are being put forth by the government we are determined absolutely that everything we can secure for the Provincial University shall be the best and that when the university is opened it will compare favorably with the best educational institutions in the British Empire. The means whereby this can be accomplished have been supplied by the people of the country and are not the subject of any patronage. It is also the intention of the government to establish technical and agricultural schools as well as mining schools and other institutions of a kindred nature, so that nothing will be left undone to make the Provincial University the most replete and complete." Before concluding the premier referred to the memorandum which the British Columbia Federation of Labor presented to him a few weeks ago and promised that if it was possible he would let them have his answers to the various points raised before the convention rose. He attributed the delay to the fact that the subjects covered by the memorandum were being investigated by the various departments.

Mayor Morley welcomed the delegates on behalf of the city of Victoria. In doing so he reviewed the movement of unions and asked them to consider the union as no more than a means to an end, and that end was education. He pointed out that the fight of the workers was not against the capitalists; it was against themselves. What benefit would they derive if they did get a raise of a quarter in their wages? Immediately they did so they would find that the cost of living would absorb it and leave them in practically the same position. Even if they contrived to save enough to purchase a home they could not do so without assuming a heavier burden of taxation. They would have to take over the taxes that had hitherto been imposed upon the landlords. What they should endeavor to remedy was the want of balance in the social system. He told them that even mayors had their troubles. They even had a union. The employees also had their troubles with the men above them, who in turn, were the prey of the men who operated in the higher fields of finance. No permanent good would ever be derived from the paltry efforts at reform. They must forget themselves and aim at the betterment of the industrial world. In that way alone would they be able to fit themselves.

Both the premier and Mayor Morley were heartily thanked for their addresses.

In the secretary's report which was submitted to the convention by R. P. Pettipiece it was stated that "the most optimistic expectations of any of those who participated in the organization proceedings have been more than realized. Up to March 11 three central labor bodies and forty-three local unions have affiliated. Besides this, District 6 of the Western Federation of Miners has submitted the question of affiliation under consideration. It is confidently expected that before the conclusion of the annual convention of this federation the forces of organized labor throughout the province will have for the first time been united into one strong militant expression of working class interests." The report concluded with the slogan "The British Columbia Federation of Labor is organized to do industrially and legislatively what its affiliated members give it the power to do."

The following are some of the delegations attending the convention:

Machinists, A. Herburger and J. Turnbull; Letter Carriers, C. Sivertz; Theatrical Stage Employees, J. Tattersall and H. March; Trades and Labor Council, J. C. Watters and T. F. Pierott; Cooks and Waiters, C. H. Chamberlain and F. W. Garland; Plumbers and Steamfitters, Geo. Lister and Geo. Beck; Teamsters, G. Hardy and J. Ross.

Vancouver—Carpenters, L. J. Burnham and H. McDonald; Bricklayers and Masons, W. W. Sayer and J. Haslett; Amalgamated Society of Carpenters, J. W. Wilkinson; Electrical Workers, H. G. Helle and A. W. Wright; Machinists, J. L. Hadden, J. F. Fisher and J. H. McVety; Building Trades Council, G. W. Williams; Pattern Makers' League, J. McEwan; Vancouver T. & L. Council, V. R. Midgley and R. P. Pettipiece; Sheet Metal Workers, G. Nervyel; Iron Mouders, M. B. Curtis and C. Cropley; New Westminster—Typographical, R. C. Monteith and R. A. Storey; Trades and Labor Council, Walter Dodd; Street Railwaysmen, J. Barradale; Teamsters, F. McBrow; Brotherhood of Carpenters, B. D. Grant and H. A. Kerr.

There was also a long list of fraternal delegates in attendance.

The convention adjourned till the afternoon.

INVENTOR'S SPEED.

Conceives Invention and Has Sample
Made in Twenty-Four Hours.

An example of rapidity of inventiveness is furnished by a Victorian, whose work has been already referred to in these columns.

On Thursday evening last Wm. Nepean-Hutchinson received a letter from a friend enclosing a cutting from a Washington, D. C., paper, a call by the United States government for tenders for a pot which would boil a quart of water. The pot is only an incident in the matter, however. Combined with it the war department requires a pint drinking cup, a small sieve or strainer to hold the tea-leaves while in process of steeping, and separate compartments for tea and sugar, pepper and salt, and for a ration of concentrated food. The whole had to be strong, compact, light, and be handily used both by infantry and cavalry.

Mr. Hutchinson thought over the matter, completed his sketches on Friday at noon, in the afternoon took them to A. and W. Wilson's and on Saturday morning had the sample of the finished article delivered. Meanwhile, on Friday afternoon he had filled up the necessary forms and forwarded them with the fees to Ottawa and to Washington, so that the new piece of equipment is now covered by applications for patent in the two countries.

The sample is on exhibition in the windows of Moore and Johnson, Yates street, and is the most perfect of its kind imaginable. Army men who have seen it declare that it is unapproachable for efficiency and compactness.

PRESENTATION TO W. H. JEFFREY.

At the residence of Mr. Walton, 2011 Cook street, on Friday evening, W. H. Jeffrey, manager of the West End Hotel, Victoria, C. O., was presented with a token of their esteem by the employees of that firm.

The gift took the form of a gold locket, and Mr. Walton, in making the presentation, referred to the good feelings which had always existed between Mr. Jeffrey and the other members of the staff.

Mr. Jeffrey suitably replied. Thereafter a pleasant time was spent, songs and recitations being given by members of the party.

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Rusty Mike's Diary

The Antediluvian Doubter

A ROUND every city and town there is at least one business oracle, who will smoke tobacco, spit and tell you that advertising does not pay. It seems that "The way it used to be done" germ gets into this man's system and creates such havoc with his ideas of business methods that he simply won't listen to a heart to heart talk about this, the greatest of all business building forces.

Recently there was celebrated the first trip of the first successful steamboat in the history of the world. One can, in fancy, almost hear the comments of the doubters and the gossips of that time, and yet Fulton did run that steamboat, and to-day its improvement is the recognized method of transportation of the world. It is a fact that Fulton's achievement was the basis of argument for every promoter of a perpetual motion machine for years to come, and those who picked the steamboat and rejected the perpetual motion machine merely showed the same kind of good business judgment that the man of to-day displays when he picks the genuine advertising and scorns the spurious article.

The Women's Trade

T HE women folks have learned to watch the papers. Funny magazines, lecturers, would-be humorists have belittled the woman in her effort to make the weekly allowance go as far as it will, but the fact is constantly before the student that the woman is the real economist.

When once you start your advertisement in the paper, the women of the community become your best friends or your worst enemies. Your first announcement, if it contains prices, brings them to inspect quality, and if your advertisement is truthful, to buy—but woe unto him who insinuates through his newspaper advertising that women are fools.

A Lesson in Proportion

The merchant who sells an article at a profit of 10c and sells twenty of them, makes more money than the merchant who sells four articles at a profit of 25c. Certainly it is easier for a merchant to sell twenty articles at a profit of 10c than it is for a merchant to sell four at a profit of 25c if the first merchant lets the whole town know of the bargain.

The Right Medium

T HERE is a time, certainly when a man must decide for himself whether he is merely a sheep following a bell, or keeping to a well defined, successful business career. The bill-board, the programme, etc., are condemned and frowned upon by successful advertisers of to-day. Yet these are men who use these forms of advertising occasionally, and because of failure to get profitable returns, decry advertising, advertising men and those who use it to build up their business.

More and more is the wonderful value of newspaper advertising becoming known and the almost unbelievable successes due to its use are being brought to light. Think, if you can, of a dozen of the world's greatest mercantile successes, and in that number you will find twelve users of newspaper advertising—a remarkable record, when you stop to think about it, regarded from two standpoints; one, that the public should be hoodwinked at times by the wailing of the non-advertiser that owing to the fact that he did not advertise, he could sell his goods cheaper; and the other that any merchant should attempt to do business without taking up one of the most essential helps in business building, newspaper advertising.

IN VIEW of these facts, which are very apparent, what argument can be made in favor of any advertising medium that it even distantly competes with the daily Newspaper? The store-keeper who has enough business ability to buy goods right, and keep store profitably, must see the light, and realize that the telling of these facts to the people through the daily newspaper must bring success

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The Principal
Victoria Paper

The Principal
Victoria Paper

TO LET

FARM, within five miles of Victoria, modern cottage and stable. Rent, per month \$35.00
COTTAGE, furnished, James Bay. Rent, per month \$35.00
STORE, new, close to Douglas street. Will lease at, per month \$45.00

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QUARTER ACRE AND MODERN SIX ROOMED HOUSE, three bedrooms, dining room, drawing room, kitchen, etc. Splendid view. Terms good.

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Phone 1381.

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New Modern Houses!

COOK STREET, fine 9 room house, splendidly finished. Very fine electric fittings. Full basement and furnace. One of the best houses on the street. Price is \$9,500

LINDEN AVENUE, modern 7 room house. Very choice location. Never been occupied. Terms. Cheap at \$7,000

OAK BAY, new 5 room house. One-third cash. Balance 1 and 2 years. Price \$3,000

BUSINESS BUYS

VIEW STREET, near Douglas. Choice business location. Per foot \$850

FRONT STREET, near Blanchard, one lot. We believe this is one of the best buys in the market to-day. Price, per foot \$560

RESIDENCE LOTS

OAK BAY—We still have a few lots left in Wilmot Place, but they have been going fast this week.

Cross & Co.
622 Fort Street.

BRIDGE THE SEYMOUR NARROWS

The best inside buy
is corner Fort
and Vancouver
Streets

Price \$21,000

TERMS

RUSSELL & GREGG

207 Pemberton Building.

BRIDGE THE SEYMOUR NARROWS

ACREAGE CHEAP!

FOUR ACRES, just off DOUGLAS STREET, end of car line, fronting on two streets. Would subdivide well. High, with fine view. On terms. Quick sale. Price \$7,500

Bagshawe & Co'y
1216 Broad Street.
Phone 2271.

SEALD TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Charter of Tug for First Narrows, Vancouver," will be received at the office until 4 p. m., Thursday, March 3rd, 1911, for the charter of a tugboat to tend etc.

QUEBEC DECIDES TO ERECT STATUE

Armand Lavergne Alone in Opposing King Edward Memorial

PRESS OPINION OF PREMIER'S SPEECH

Conservative Journal Says Sir Wilfrid Has Answered Critics Effectively

Armand Lavergne, Nationalist, was the only member of the Quebec legislative assembly who raised any objection to the resolution of the House to authorize the government to erect on the National Battlefield Park a monument to the memory of the late King Edward VII.

Mr. Bourassa's attitude in relation to this question was once more a striking contrast to that of his Nationalist Lieutenant. He was in favor of the proposal that the government should erect a monument to the memory of King Edward, but he asked whether it would not be better to make it of a national character?

He suggested that the federal government should erect a statue in the park and that to complete the memorial Quebec and other provinces might each contribute a statue commemorating one of the greatest epochs in their history, represented by the figures of a representative man. As to the central figure, it might be that of King Edward or Queen Victoria, the Queen having signed the Confederation Pact.

Mr. Tellier also supported the proposed memorial. His only criticism was that in asking for \$25,000 for the monument the government were not proposing enough to make the monument worthy of the province and the King. A twenty thousand dollar monument on a national park which would cost several million dollars would be徒劳, look rather insignificant, and the government would surely have to come back to the assembly next year for more money, as was done in the case of the Mercier monument. The government first asked for ten thousand dollars for the Mercier memorial, and subsequently increased the amount to fifteen thousand dollars.

Mr. Bourassa agreed with these criticisms.

Hon. Mr. Taschereau, in reply expressed the opinion that a good memorial could be constructed for \$25,000.

Plans for the King Edward statue would be open to competition, and subsequently it would be decided which was the most appropriate site on the National Battlefields Park for the statue.

The resolution was then adopted, with the silent acquiescence of Mr. Lavergne.

"The unanimity of the vote," commented Mr. Taschereau, "is proof that the idea for the memorial is a good one."

At the same time the assembly passed the resolution to transfer to the National Battlefields commission certain lands in the neighborhood of Quebec jail, such lands to be included in the National Battlefields Park.

Another resolution adopted was that the present Quebec jail cease to be used. The Lieutenant-Governor-In-Council may cede the site on which the building stands to the Battlefields commission.

VICTIMS OF EXPLOSION.

Pleasant Prairie, Wis., March 13.—The Dupont Powder Company officials and directors, after an all-day meeting in the ruins of their plant here, promised Saturday to rebuild the village and pay every cent of actual loss sustained by any person as the result of the explosion on Thursday night.

Three more deaths caused indirectly by the explosion were recorded Saturday.

In Kenosha Saturday night a coroner's jury failed to return a verdict on the death of E. S. Thompson. The members held that the evidence presented was insufficient to convince them that the portions of the body found were those of Thompson.

Refreshments were served at the close of the concert.

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Presentation to Rev. R. W. Collins and Mrs. Collins.

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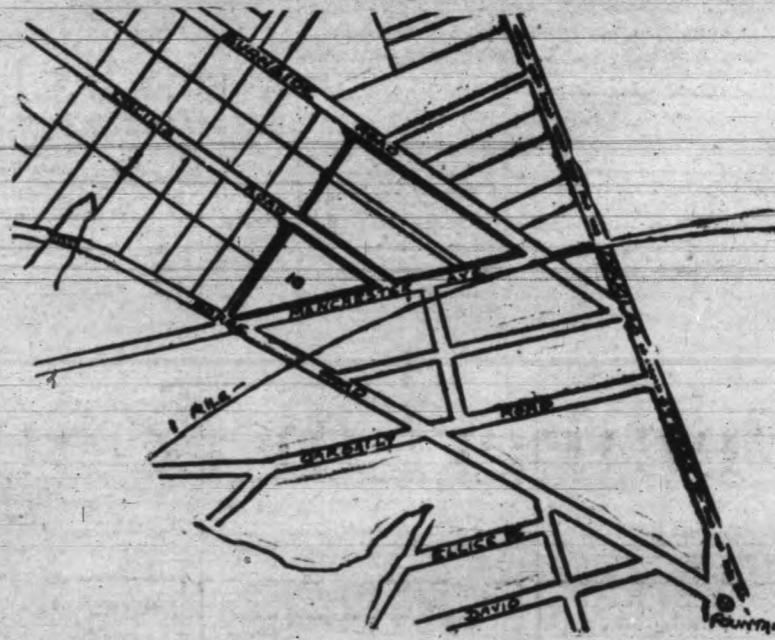
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PLEBISCITE ON LIQUOR LICENSES

Vote Will Be Taken at Chilliwack — Waterworks Extension

Chilliwack, March 11.—At the regular meeting of the city council the question of several residents asking that a plebiscite be taken on the question of increasing the number of liquor licenses was reported by the clerk to be regular in form and the city solicitor was instructed to prepare a bylaw providing for the setting of a date for the vote.

Ald. Waddington, chairman of the fire, water and light committee, submitted a report on the water situation wherein it appears that the water pressure during the past eight months has been far below the mark stipulated in the contract between the city and the Elk Creek Waterworks company.

The contract calls for a pressure of 80 pounds to the square inch, but a record

kept by the fire chief shows that the highest average pressure for any month during the past eight months was 65 pounds. This pressure was during October, while the average for July was only 47 pounds. The Elk Creek Waterworks company, in a communication to Ald. Waddington, states that about April 1 work will be commenced on an extension to the present system.

Harry Harding was appointed special policeman, gaoler, collector of dog and poll taxes and general handy man around the city jail at a salary of \$60 per month.

A communication was received from the clerk of Esquimalt district asking the opinion of the council as to the advisability of Esquimalt becoming incorporated. The clerk was instructed to reply, in effect, that Chilliwack

has tropes of her own. The Local Option League endorsed the stand of the council in refusing to grant additional liquor licenses.

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NAANALO PRINCIPAL RESIGNS.

Nanaimo, March 11.—At a meeting of the board of school trustees F. B. Dixon, principal of the High school, tendered his resignation in the following communication:

"Gentle men.—Owing to the fact that you find it inadvisable to increase the salary paid at present to the principal of the High school after due consideration, I hereby tender my resignation the same to take effect June 30, 1911."

F. B. DIXON.—On motion the communication was received and filed and resignation accepted.

Accounts totalling \$1,765.77 were received and referred to the finance committee to be paid if found correct.

Secretary Gough informed the board he had received 37 applications to attend night school, and it was decided to call for applications for a teacher, applications to be in within two weeks.

WILL BE ENLARGED.

New Westminster, March 11.—The steadily increasing demand made upon the accommodation at St. Ann's convent has forced the authorities to look into the possibility of increasing the size of the building. Although plans are as yet unformed, it is understood that a wing will be built large enough to double the present capacity. The actual construction work is not expected to commence until early next year, but in the meantime arrangements for the necessary alterations will be made.

St. Ann's convent at the present time has 32 resident pupils and 102 outside scholars.

Another Catholic institution which is to be enlarged before long is St. Mary's hospital which is at the present time well filled with patients. A few months ago word was received from the east that St. Mary's would be closed, but just before the date set for the locking of the doors the order was rescinded and the institution was maintained.

It was decided to put in an 18-inch submerged main across the Second Narrows with shore connections, the city to bear the cost of construction up to \$18,000. The municipality, however, will be required to bear any extra cost of construction, and to assume the expenses involved in maintaining the main.

It was ascertained that a temporary supply could be obtained to provide relief while the construction of the pipe line is in progress. Reeve Weart was assured that provisions would be made for supplying water in case of any accident to the submerged pipe line. The municipality will pay one-half of the interchange of the north and south shore connections, and relinquish its rights to 250 miner's inches, which it has recorded in Seymour creek. In the event of a bridge being built across the Second Narrows designed to carry all water pipes, Burnaby will be responsible for the removal of the submerged conduit to the bridge crossing.

The proposed agreement for the supply will be fully dealt with at a special meeting of the Burnaby council.

ORE SHIPMENTS.

Phoenix, March 11.—The Victoria shipping outlet of the Granby mine is again in full operation.

Work is progressing favorably on the construction work of the No. 2 Granby shipping outlet. The tramway to the Great Northern track has been built and the foundation of the ore bins and crusher is under way. Two months

ago a few pieces of jewellery were stolen from the miners' houses.

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THE WARRIOR.

One day, in times of yore, a knight went out for gore, with sword and shield and lance; his helmet was wrought of steel, a spur was on his heel, a blacksmith made his pants. And as he rode along, so valiant, big and strong, he said, in undertones: "Ods prunes! This jing I wear but fills me with despair! It's crushing half my bones! They say that I am brave in my banner wave, and plunge into the scrap, when I to battle prance and prud with my lance some unfeeling chap. But I am not brave enough to shied this hardware stuff and wear a burial sack; a poor old knight must ride around in rusty steel until it breaks his back. I fear the caustic laugh, I fear the jest and chaff of idle lad and lass, and so I pack around about five hundred pound of clanking iron and brass." That good old knight is dead; a foeman broke his head five hundred years ago; and bards write joking rhymes about him and his times, when all was empty show. And as the poet writes his lips in pain he bites his corns are on the jump; because his neighbors do, he wears too small a shoe. Man always was a chump.

THE WARRIOR.

New Westminster, March 11.—That the license commissioners of Westminster are opposed to the granting of shop licenses was evident, when, at the monthly meeting of the board, the application of Joseph Harwood came up for consideration. Mr. Teather, who appeared for the applicant, was informed that the request put in by his client was not in regular order, and therefore could not be considered by the meeting, but if a like application came up at the next sitting of the board, the matter would be fully discussed.

Major Lee, chairman of the commission, explained at some length that he was strongly opposed to the granting of shop licenses. He failed to see the need of any in this city, and from the few remarks made by the other members of the board it was evident that there was little difference of opinion on the subject.

Commissioner D. Gilchrist declared that he did not believe the Westminster people were in favor of the innovation, while Commissioner Alderman Campbell doubted the power of the board to finally settle the matter.

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New Westminster, March 11.—Ten years with hard labor was the sentence imposed by Police Magistrate Shaw on Joseph Smith who pleaded guilty to having about two weeks ago tried to rob the jewellery store of Max Moloff on Main street by first squirting ammonia in the proprietor's eyes with a syringe.

"You have been guilty of a most atrocious crime," said Magistrate Shaw, addressing the prisoner before pronouncing sentence. "It was not your fault that the man has not lost his sight, and apparently it was a matter of indifference to you whether he did or not. A man who would do that would also commit murder. If any man knows anything about ammonia—"

At this point Smith said he did not know what it was.

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PASSING SHOW

New Grand Thagore.

The Grand to-day will start the week with a five-act variety bill, Springer and Church in the effervescent comedy, "Who Did It?", having the star place. Claude Summers and Helen Mae Page are billed for a one-act musical comedy; the Bragaar brothers, Australian acrobats, who have travelled South Africa and South America before reaching America for the first time now, will have a front place on the bill; Jerry Sanford, the entertaining yodeler and whistler, and Edwin George, a conjuror of unusual skill and bright monologue, are the other acts. The Grandscope and the orchestra are there as usual. Majestic Theatre.

The new bill this week is quite extensive. "Her Chum's Brother" is a very interesting and well-conceived story of two young boarding school girls, one of whom is a Cuban planter's daughter. The brother of the latter on her return home falls in love with the chum and to win her goes to Florida and obtains employment as manager of her father's orange grove. Finally the connection between the lover and his sweetheart's chum is made known, and Cupid wins. In "The Bowling Fiend" perhaps the young man's friends could have permitted his craze to pass unnoticed, only he seized every possible opportunity to practice his bad, bowling over everything movable, using as balls whatever came handy. In a vigorous scene his friends convince him that the alleys are the proper places for bowling. "The Atonement" is a pathetic drama of intense emotion and thrilling interest. "The Joke They Played on Bumfuzzles" is a thousand-foot Edison comic.

New Empress Theatre.

For 26 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday, Victoria and vicinity light to moderate winds, generally fair and mild. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and mild.

Reports at 6 a.m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.45; temperature, 35; minimum, 25; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.46; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, 38; minimum, 38; wind, 12 miles N. E.; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 22; minimum, 20; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 8 miles N.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.80; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 32; minimum, 30; wind, 14 miles W.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Saturday:

temperature.

Highest 65
Lowest 27

Average 41
Rain, .02 inch.

Bright sunshine, 2 hours.

General state of weather, mostly cloudy.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Sunday:

Temperature.

Highest 48
Lowest 20

Average 41
Bright sunshine, 4 hours, 12 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

TIDE TABLE

Victoria, March, 1911.

Data: [Time]t[Time]t[Time]t[Time]t[Time]t

[h.m. ft.] [h. m. ft.] [h. m. ft.] [h. m. ft.]

1 4 28 7.7 9 25 8.4 14 24 8.2 22 02 2.5

2 4 61 7.7 10 20 6.6 15 44 7.9 22 29 2.5

3 4 93 7.7 11 12 6.5 16 15 7.4 23 01 2.5

4 5 24 8.1 12 11 4.1 17 16 6.9 23 49 2.1

5 5 56 8.2 13 12 5.2 18 16 6.6 23 56 2.6

6 0 30 4.1 6 17 8.6 14 27 2.7 2.6

7 0 62 8.6 6 17 8.9 15 21 2.0 2.6

8 0 94 8.6 7 18 8.9 16 24 2.3 2.6

9 1 26 8.6 8 19 8.9 17 27 1.8 2.6

10 1 58 8.6 9 20 8.9 18 34 1.5 2.6

11 2 00 8.6 10 14 8.6 19 01 1.4 2.6

12 2 32 8.6 11 14 8.7 19 45 1.7 2.6

13 2 64 8.6 12 15 8.0 20 29 2.2 2.6

14 3 06 8.6 13 16 8.3 21 42 2.7 2.6

15 3 38 7.5 14 27 4.5 22 52 1.9 2.6

16 3 70 7.5 15 15 7.1 23 52 1.9 2.6

17 4 18 8.0 11 14 2.9 17 46 2.8 2.6

18 4 50 8.1 12 15 4.5 18 46 2.6 2.6

19 4 82 8.2 13 16 6.0 19 46 2.5 2.6

20 5 14 8.2 14 17 7.5 20 46 2.3 2.6

21 5 46 8.4 15 18 9.0 21 46 2.1 2.6

22 5 78 8.4 15 20 9.8 22 47 2.0 2.6

23 6 10 8.5 16 22 7.7 2.6

24 6 42 8.5 17 24 5.6 2.6

25 6 74 8.5 18 25 3.5 2.6

26 7 06 7.9 19 26 1.5 2.6

27 7 38 7.8 20 26 1.5 2.6

28 7 70 7.8 21 26 1.5 2.6

29 8 02 7.5 22 26 1.5 2.6

30 8 34 7.5 23 26 1.5 2.6

31 8 66 7.5 24 26 1.5 2.6

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 12 hours, 12 minutes, counted from 6 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.